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"Together with his lovely wife and companion Deanna Jaxine Stinson, the Demon Warrior battles the forces of fear, ignorance, and superstition to learn the truth behind tales of ghosts, monsters, and alien invaders. Who knows what mysteries lurk in the haunted houses, places and minds of California? The Demon Warrior knows." Legendary Paranormal Author, Brad Steiger

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NEXT PAGE: DRAWING EXPLAINED:
The cover drawing is by Thomas Ahearn depicting The Demon Warrior aka Paul Dale Roberts, the Tardis and Doctor Who. The Demon Warrior was taken in the Tardis to October 26, 1881, to witness the gunfight at the OK Corral and was not too happy about it. Now he is ready to confront Doctor Who in regard to taking him to this event and getting almost shot by the crossfire of the Earps vs. the Clanton-McLaury Clan. Concept by Paul Dale Roberts

The Tardis and Some Time Traveling Stories

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The Tardis and Time Traveling

I have always been interested in time travel. I watched every time travel show on TV. Some of the shows I watched were Time Tunnel, Voyagers, Quantum Leap, Terminator, Loki, Back to the Future, Bill & Ted's Excellent Adventure, Doctor Who, The Philadelphia Experiment, Time after Time, Timecop, DC's Legends of Tomorrow, Time Bandits and more! As a little boy to my days as an adult, I have always

enjoyed Doctor Who and remembering how I was glued to the TV, when Doctor Who would do some time hopping in his Tardis. The Tardis itself is an incredible vehicle. The TARDIS is the acronym for ("Time And Relative Dimension(s) In Space"). The Tardis is a time machine and spacecraft that takes Doctor Who to different time periods and strange dimensions and worlds. The Tardis exterior appearance mimics a police box, an obsolete type of telephone kiosk that was once commonly seen on the streets in Britain. Paradoxically, its interior is shown as being much larger than its exterior, commonly described as being "bigger on the inside". It is odd that the Tardis interior is large inside, and its exterior is small on the outside. Some people who have been abducted by UFOs say that the UFO was small on the outside, but large in the inside, I could only wonder if the creator of Doctor Who was a person who extensively studied the UFO phenomena, to come up with an idea like that with the Tardis? The Tardis is the name and design owned by the BBC (British Broadcasting Corporation) and the original design was created by the Metropolitan Police Service. Now let's discuss some time-traveling incidents, see below:

Before we move onto some time traveling stories, let me give you my theory on time traveling. We know for a fact that time traveling into the future is a strong possibility and traveling back in time is very difficult. If one day we manage to become a higher level of society and discover on how to travel back in time utilizing wormholes, we will discover that we will become "ghosts" in the past. The reason why we would be "ghosts" in the past is because we cannot disrupt past time, because it has already happened. We would be able to see the past, but we would not have the capability of changing the past or altering the past in anyway, we would be phantoms existing in the past. A good example of that is the Moberly and Jourdain case.

Moberly and Jourdain Incident

Moberly and Jourdain made a decision to visit the Palace of Versailles and on August 10, 1901, their lives would change forever. During their visit they got lost at the gardens of Petit Trianon, when they finally reached the Grand Trianon, they discovered it was close to the public. They continued on and missed a turn at the Allee des Trianons and entered an unknown lane, bypassing their intended destination. As they continued walking down the lane, they both felt oppression and dreariness. Their surroundings changed from something beautiful and pleasant to something that was flat and lifeless. The wind in the trees stopped, they walked into a green mist and when they came out of the green mist they saw what they thought were very dignified officials. They saw a cottage in which a woman was passing a jug off to a girl in the doorway. The people that they observed seemed like they were in their own little world and did not notice Moberly and Jourdain. The oddest thing that Moberly and Jourdain witnessed is a little man, dressed all in black, wearing a cloak who seemed to follow them and they felt he was evil. They also saw a tall man with large dark eyes, wearing a large sombrero type of hat, that was able to interact with them and he pointed them the way to the Petit Trianon, where they feel they may have encountered Marie Antoinette. They say that the lady they believe is Antoinette was sitting in the grass, making a sketching. She was wearing a light Summer dress and had a white hat to shield her from the sun. Her hair was fair and Moberly and Jourdain said that she had a striking resemblance to Antoinette. They have seen a portrait of Antoinette and the resemblance was spot on. Moberly and Jourdain's story in those days would be considered as going "viral" and they had many critics that disclaim the story as a work of fantasy by Moberly and Jourdain. To this day, the story fascinates many people and perhaps, just perhaps Moberly and Jourdain walked into a time disruption portal and found themselves temporarily in France before the French Revolution.

Captain "Crazy Jeff" Voshell

My ex-brother-in-law Captain "Crazy Jeff" Voshell has his own time traveling story. Voshell has a charter

boat called the Orion that takes passengers to nearby islands like St. Croix; St. John; Carvel Rock; Great Tobago Island; Little Buck Island; Skydive Virgin Islands; Cockroach Island and Outer Brass Island. Voshell was also a boat mechanic and worked on many boats, including film star Morgan Freeman's boat. At some point of time Jeff needed a vacation and flew out to Saint Barthelemy Island for a nice vacation and rest. Voshell would go out to this deserted beach area and relax. On his 3rd day on this island, Jeff laid out at the beach and fell asleep. When he awoke there were 8 men with long hair unloading wooden crates from a large wooden boat. Some of the sailors sported beards and mustaches. They wore loose pants cut off below the knee, woolen stockings, woolen caps and a thigh-length blouse or coat. Voshell couldn't believe his eyes. He asked himself..."are these actors?" The men did not pay any attention to Voshell and continued taking wooden crates off the ship. At some point of time there was an ear-piercing shrilling sound that resonated at the beach and Voshell found himself closing his eyes and placing his hands over his ears. When the sound stopped, Voshell opened his eyes and the men were now gone, the ship was gone. Voshell was shocked at the sudden disappearance. Voshell was the only one on the beach, there were no other witnesses and Voshell feels he may have fallen into a time slip that took him into the 17th Century.

John Titor

I sort of have a connection to John Titor. Well, maybe an imposter. I was contacted by a gentleman claiming he was John Titor and he wanted me and my videographer to come to Los Angeles to interview him. He wanted to conduct the interview at Iverson Location Movie Ranch. We were prepared to go and HPI (Halo Paranormal Investigations) put the word out, that we were going to interview John Titor - Time Traveler. The press release of the interview went viral, and the masses claimed that this John Titor was a fraud, you can see some of the discussion here at this link:

Paul Interviews John Titor Discussion:
paranormalis.com/threads/interviewing-john-titor-ii.5753/

The man proclaiming he was John Titor called me and immediately canceled the interview, he said his life was being threatened. I don't know if this was the real John Titor or an imposter, but all I know is the press release caused a major disturbance and I never heard from this John Titor again. Now who is the real John Titor? Between 2000 and 2001, an online bulletin board user self-identified as John Titor became popular as he claimed to be a time traveler from 2036 on a military mission. Holding the interpretation as correct and consequently every time travel paradox as impossible, he stated that many events which occurred up to his time would indeed occur in this timeline. These included a devastating civil war in the US in 2008, followed by a short nuclear World War III in 2015, which will "kill three billion people". Of course, these events did not occur, and some true believers say that perhaps these predictions did come true on an alternate timeline. In the years following his last posts and disappearance in 2001, the non-fulfilment of his specific predictions made his popularity decrease. Criticism has pointed out flaws in Titor's stories and investigations suggested his character may be a hoax and a creation of two siblings from Florida.

Possible Hoaxes

My thoughts is that the John Titor story is a hoax and I also believe that the Moberly and Jourdain story was fabricated and these two ladies wanted attention and they got it with a book they published in regard to this time-traveling incident.

So, you are probably wandering is there any time-traveling story that might be true. I do believe that there are two stories that have a ring of truth to them. They are:

Possible True Time Traveling Experiences
In the Rendlesham Forest UFO incident, the binary code translation states the year 8100. I believe that some UFOs could be visiting Earth from other dimensions, other planets. I also believe that some UFOs are us from the future and with the Rendlesham Forest UFO incident, it appears that the visitors were from the year 8100.

And then you have Bruce Gernon, the pilot who was flying from the Bahamas to the Florida Coast on December 4, 1970 and was swept in an electric fog portal that whisked him to the Florida coastline in 47 minutes. When initially looking at this, a distance of 250 miles in 47 minutes, you could make it if you were going 319.14 MPH. This was a very documented case and is built on a foundation of truth. You can see more about this incident at this youtube episode below:
www.youtube.com/watch?v=sZpOjdZACCY

Jungle Bird Haunted?
Paul Dale Roberts, HPI's Esoteric Detective
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Every week Wish Fire, Psychic Medium aka Deanna Jaxine Stinson and I, will be checking various locations to see if they are haunted. Another DM (Direct Message) on Facebook was from Logan Owens of Alameda. Logan tells me that last Summer he went to the Jungle Bird in Sacramento with his girlfriend. When his girlfriend went to the restroom, she felt a furry large animal brush up against her leg. When she looked down there was nothing there. Logan asks if I know if the Jungle Bird is haunted? Wish Fire and I, had some down time today (3/16/2023) and decided to check out the Jungle Bird, which is located at 2516 J Street, Sacramento. This establishment is very close to Sutter Fort which is known to be haunted. I ordered Wish Fire a drink called the Buka Town Chi Chi. This is a drink that has the following ingredients: vodka; pineapple; hazelnut; coconut cream and French banana. Deanna enjoyed her drink. When going inside the Jungle Bird, the lighting is very dim, but cozy.

I did a few EVP sessions and my 7th EVP, I did get something that sounded like a growl. The EVP is poor quality, so I am going to dismiss it as positive evidence. I did notice that on one wall, there were various jungle hunting weapons. These weapons could have the spiritual imprint of a deceased animal. One weapon on the wall looked like an aboriginal bushwhacker that may have been used to kill kangaroos. Wish Fire picked up on the energy of a large wolf. There is one wolf known to live in the jungles, it's the Chrysocyon brachyurus. This wolf lives in the Amazon Rainforest. There have been 22 sightings of this wolf in the Brazilian states of Mato Grosso, Amazonas and Rondonia. So, with the possible growl EVP, Wish Fire picking up on a wolf spirit and Logan's girlfriend feeling a large hairy animal brushing up against her leg, the Jungle Bird just might be haunted by the spirits of deceased animals that were killed by the various hunting weapons displayed on the wall. I talked with the host and he is unaware of any haunting at the Jungle Bird. Case closed. Our next cases will be the following establishments: The Aviary and The Bank. Both establishments are bars and restaurants. Special Note: On this case with the Jungle Bird, we did bring our Canine Paranormal Investigators: Story & Champagne and they did not detect anything at the Jungle Bird. **Next Page Photo: Wish Fire at the Jungle Bird.**

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The Snake Demon

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Date of House Blessing: 3/17/2023. Sometimes when we get phone calls, it's from people who want to stay anonymous and they just want a house blessing, no investigation. This was the case today, when I received a call on the paranormal hotline. The client requested I refer to her as "Francis", which is her middle name. I told Francis that I will be writing an article about this case and she gave me permission to use only her middle name for the article. Location of her home: Citrus Heights. When Frances called, she told me this is an emergency, she is being attacked by what she calls a "snake demon". For the last 4 months, Francis and her husband have been terrorized by a snake demon. I asked Frances why she calls this demon a snake demon? Frances then gives me the rundown. Four months ago, Frances had a verbal confrontation with one of her neighbors. Her neighbor after drinking at a bar, smashed into her parked vehicle. Frances came out and that is when the verbal confrontation got heated. Frances says they almost came to blows, but then the police showed up and Frances' neighbor was cited with a DUI. Frances says that her neighbor is not only a drunk, but she dabbles in black magic and feels her home is

now cursed. Frances says that she has seen a large snake moving about in her kitchen. When Frances approached the snake, it vanished. Frances' husband opened up the closet and saw the snake all coiled up and ready to strike. When Frances' husband closed the closet door and reopened it, the snake was gone. Sometimes when Frances and her husband are watching TV, they can hear the snake moving across the attic. The straw that broke the camel's back is on one night Frances' husband was in bed asleep and then he violently started coughing and eventually he started vomiting. Frances' husband said that the snake was in his stomach and came out of his mouth! The very next night, Frances felt something slimy moving up her leg and constricting her leg tightly. Frances woke up from a dead sleep, raised up the covers only to see a snake clinging to her leg. Frances screamed and screamed and screamed. The snake disappeared, but Frances noticed that there was something wet and slimy on her leg. Frances can only describe it as some kind of slimy goo. When Frances got up to use the shower, the slimy goo on her leg was gone. Frances felt like she was losing her mind. Frances told me that she had enough and wanted to know if I could break the curse. I told Frances, that I will do my best to help her.

Deanna Jaxine Stinson aka Wish Fire, Psychic Medium and I, headed up to Citrus Heights immediately. I asked Frances if we can conduct an investigation, before the cleansing. Frances says "no". Frances explained to me that she already knows she has a demon in the house and all she wants is the cleansing. I convinced Frances that she and her husband should also have a full submersion baptism, in case the demon is attached to them. Frances agreed. While I was baptizing Frances and her husband, Wish Fire walked around the house burning sage and palo santo word and saying prayers. When I was baptizing Frances, she started coughing. Her coughing seemed to go on and on, and finally it stopped. Frances looked at me and said that she felt the heavy weight lift off her shoulders. Frances said she felt a great sense of relief. Frances no longer felt an evil inside her. Wish Fire said that before she conducted her metaphysical cleansing, she also saw the snake demon as it was slithering down the hallway. Wish Fire says that the snake looked like something from History Channel's Swamp People, where they go out chasing big snakes. I conducted a Roman Catholic house blessing and Frances' husband gave me a big hug and thanked me for coming over on a moment's notice. Frances said that the atmosphere of the house felt pure. Frances believes I was successful in cleansing her home.

Special Note: A full submersion baptism is a basic form of exorcism. If you have an attachment, the full submersion baptism works in most cases and gets rid of the attachment. I am not ordained, but I was good friends with two Catholic priests, who taught me how to perform a Roman Catholic house blessing. The two priests were very chatty and would smoke cigarettes and tell me all kinds of stories. When I first started cleansing homes, I wasn't sure if my cleansing would work and when client after client started telling me that their home was cleansed, I was quite surprised. The priests always told me that, it's important to believe! And I definitely believe that angels are here on Earth watching over people and if you call upon angels, they will come and they will help. I have a 90 percent success rate in house cleansings and an 80 percent success rate with my full submersion baptisms.

I will keep in touch with Frances and make sure that the snake demon is gone.

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Roberts was born on January 17, 1955 in Fresno, California. He has an Associate Degree in Criminology. In 1977, Roberts for one year was a firefighter with the California Division of Forestry. Firefighting was not his cup of tea.

Military Career:
Roberts from 1973 to 1976 served with the US Army's D.S.T. (Drug Suppression Team) C.I.D. (Criminal Investigation Division) in Germany, working undercover narcotics. From 1979 to 1986 Roberts served in the US Army's Military Intelligence. Working at PIC-K (Photo Interpretation Center in Korea). Roberts held a Top Secret S.B.I. (Special Background Investigation) clearance as an Intelligence Analyst, later receiving an H-Identifier with OPFOR (Opposing Forces), where Roberts playing a character that is a Russian Defector named Corporal Dowbowski. Roberts/Dowbowski wore a Soviet uniform, ski mask and trained elite troops like US Army's Special Forces, 101st Airborne, Air Force Special Operations, Navy Seals, Army Rangers, Delta Force, 82nd 'Screaming Eagles' Airborne, Marine Recon the Soviet Threat and W.E.F.T. (Wings, Engine, Fuselage, Tail section) in identifying Soviet aircraft.

Dancing Career:
Roberts from 1976 to 1979 became involved in professional dancing and was a dance instructor for Arthur Murrays. Roberts danced with Jeff Kutache's Dancing Machine in Lake Tahoe and Reno. Roberts appeared as an extra in movies like Rollerboogie and Skatetown USA. He later captured the Guinness Book of World Records for disco dancing 205 hours, in which Ripley's Believe it or Not featured him in a cartoon, which can be seen here: www.centralhome.com/ballroomcountry/disco-days.htm

Comic Book Career:
Roberts became involved in reviewing comic books and interviewing comic book creators for Jazma Online! Roberts published one comic book entitled The Legendary Dark Silhouette.

Paranormal Investigator Career:
Roberts is the co-owner of HPI (Halo Paranormal Investigations). Roberts' wife Deanna Jaxine Stinson is the other co-owner of HPI.

Documentaries
Roberts in 2004 became a paranormal investigator and with over 2,500 investigations under his belt and over a thousand paranormal articles he has written lead him to many documentaries. From History Channel's Monsterquest (Mothman episode) to Conversations of a Serial Killer by Two Four Productions to Showtime's Penn & Teller Bullshxt - Mayan Prophesy of 2012 to 3 Biography Channel's My Ghost Stories to Mysteries of Angels and Demons by Ives Street Entertainment to Michael Jackson: You are not Alone/In Search of his Spirit, that can be seen here:
www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZMdqnwMFGhU
To see the full list of documentaries, stop by here: www.imdb.com/name/nm5598153/
Roberts and his wife Deanna have been the location scouts for several episodes of Travel Channel's Ghost Adventures.

Roberts and his wife Deanna Jaxine Stinson appeared on E! Chelsea Lately (May 8, 2014 Episode) and was featured on Perez Hilton Hollywood Website: perezhilton.com/tag/deanna_stinson/ and UPI

(United Press International) picked up on the story: www.upi.com/Odd_News/2014/05/01/Sacramento-woman-claims-dead-boyfriends-ghost-is-haunting-her-car/1061398944390/ The story about the haunted car was also featured in the Daily Mail.

Of course, the story was misconstrued, where a few news agencies thought Deanna and I were already married and invented this ghost story, they did not realize that Deanna came to HPI as a client first, then we dated, fell in love and got married. Deanna Jaxine Stinson - Psychic Medium and Paul Dale Roberts completed two more documentaries. One is for the Disney Channel - Maker Studios - seen here: www.youtube.com/watch?v=M7TDJb2k-sA The other is for Asylum Studios - Case Closed with AJ Benza - The Poltergeist Movie Curse Episode.

Roberts is also a Fortean investigator in which he investigates ALL things paranormal from Mothman, Chupacabra, UFOs, Crop Circles, Ghosts, Poltergeists, Demons and more. Significant investigations by HPI are the Skinwalker Ranch in Utah, Area 51, Wolf Creek Inn - Oregon, Lauren Willet - Charles Manson Clan Murder Case in Stockton, looking for Natalee Holloway's ghost in Aruba, UFOs and Bigfoot at Mount Shasta, UFOs and USOs at Monterey Bay. Investigations in Jamaica, Dominican Republic, Haiti, Panama, Prague - Czechoslovakia; Nicaragua, Costa Rica. In 2013, Roberts investigated Guatemala, Belize, El Salvadore. In 2014, Roberts investigated the Headless Knight's Templar in Prague, Czechoslovakia.

Writing Career:
Roberts writes community stories and does interviews. Roberts is a former journalist for the Sacramento Press, former columnist for Haunted Times Magazine, has written small blurbs for Newsweek, Time, National Geographic Traveler and People Magazine. Roberts is a former columnist for Vamperotica by www.vamperatica.com/Brainstorm Comics; Writer's Digest; WebBound; Just Comics and More by Genesis Publications. Roberts was at one time a regular columnist for the now defunct Ceri Clark's - All Destiny Magazine. Roberts is currently a journalist for Before its News beforeitsnews.com/ - Phenomena Magazine UK www.phenomenamagazine.co.uk/ Paranormal Underground Magazine; Outer Limits Magazine and Costa Rican Times. All books connected to Roberts can be found here: www.lulu.com/spotlight/jazmapika1?searchTerms=&pageOffset=3
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Roberts has many books published, his most significant books are: Ghosts, UFOs, Monsters and High Strangeness, HPI Chronicles Vol II - Ghost Stories & UFOs and HPI Chronicles Vol III - Beyond the Norm. Roberts also has a comic book out called The Legendary Dark Silhouette.

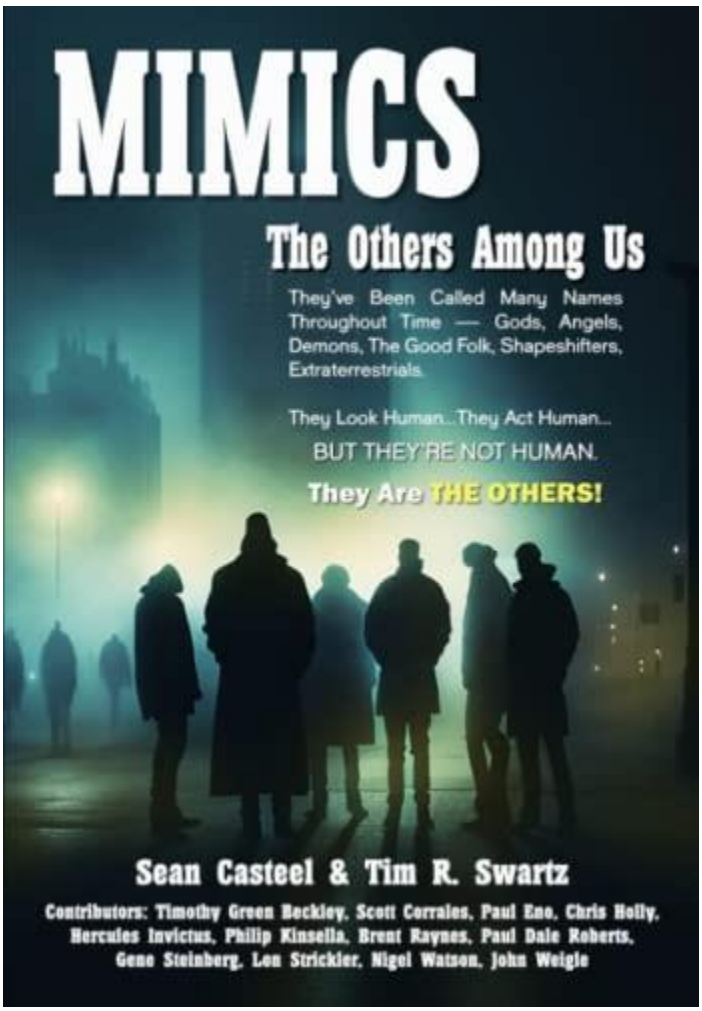
Roberts articles are featured in legendary Brad Steiger's books; Tim Swartz books and the late Timothy Green Beckley's books. You can find Roberts biography at Amazon dot com, located here: www.amazon.com/Paul-Dale-Roberts/e/B004M45Z2S

Roberts writes columns for the British Magazine called Spectral Times, found here: en.calameo.com/read/002938563e819532d9c24 and the British Magazine called Phenomena found here:
www.phenomenamagazine.co.uk/

Hobbies and Recreational Activities:
Roberts is an international traveler and has been to over 59 countries and territories. He has taken

lessons flying a helicopter and Cessna airplane. He has taken lessons in skydiving. He has rappelled Moaning Caverns, rode on a hot air balloon along Napa Valley, flew in a glider along Calistoga. He has Para-sailed in Thailand.

PERSONAL LIFE:
Roberts in 2014, married Deanna Jaxine Stinson - Psychic Medium. Deanna is a paranormal investigator and an author of many metaphysical / spiritual / paranormal books.
Roberts has a daughter named Illi Anna Vega that lives in Arizona with her 5 children and 1 grandchild.



Mimics - The Others Among Us (Book Review)
Authors: Sean Casteel and Tim R. Swartz
Note: There are several contributors to this fantastic book.
Price: $17.95
Review: Paul Dale Roberts, HPI's Esoteric Detective - Halo Paranormal Investigations

Where Can You Find the Book? See link below:
www.amazon.com/Mimics-Others-Tim-R-Swartz/dp/B0BXN489ZM

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Comments: This book has been placed together by two legendary authors Sean Casteel and Tim R. Swartz. They have placed their wealth of knowledge on the paranormal phenomena in regard to mimicking by entities such as Dopplegangers; Men in Black; various cryptids and other creatures of the night. It's all here in this fantastic book!

Some of the things you will be enlightened to, is how a shapeshifting reptilian calling itself David Daniels who pays a visit to two normal humans named Brenda and Dot. David makes claim that he is from the Pleiades and moves about from one place to another in a blink of the eye. Dot is terrified of David and tries to convince Brenda not to follow him. The complete story will make the hairs on your arms stand up on end.

With this book you also get information about shapeshifting entities in the media. Shapeshifters have always been a fascination with many people. Turn on the television and you will see shapeshifters in movies about Dracula, TV shows like True Blood to the movie Star Trek VI: The Undiscovered Country in which a shapeshifter called a Chameloid is the focus of this movie.

Your skin will crawl when you learn about a tulpa called the Slenderman that went from the digital realm to our real world.

Tim R. Swartz enlightens us with his vast knowledge on an entity called the Yidam. Just when I think I read everything about every entity in the paranormal, I learn something new in Sean and Tim's latest book. I learn that the Yidam is based on thought forms that equals to the Tulpa. I am not going to get into details about the Yidam, but will give you a hint that the Yidam is a meditational deity or also known as a tutelary deity. As we move on there are stories of the Djinn and energy that binds on certain objects that can bring a Djinn into existence.

As you move along in this book, you will learn about those cute little fairies, known as Feys. Some Feys are here to help humans and then things can get a little nastier, since such feys can be evil and want to steal your soul! Some Feys are known to take shape as a beautiful woman or as a small child in distress! So, beware!!

My hair stands on end, as I read about the Black Eyed Kids! Don't trust them if they ask to go into your home! They have bad intentions and exactly what are they? Aliens or demons? Find out all kinds of information on these very strange entities, right here in this book!

I must say, I contributed a few stories in this incredible book and in one of my stories, I talk about the Crocotta from India. A Crocotta is known as a mythical dog wolf entity and it's very deadly. It can mimic a child in distress and when you follow the cries of a small child, you will be face-to-face with pure evil. Run, run as fast as you can! I totally suggest that when you read Sean and Tim's latest book, you might want to keep the lights on, because some of the stories in this book will chill you to the bone!

This book is a masterpiece and deserves a lot of recognition as a book that is very informative about creatures of the night, that have the capabilities of mimicking humans. Entities that want to lure you in

for ungodly reasons. For people studying cryptozoology or studying the paranormal, this book deserves to be in your private library. Learn from the best, it's all here in this incredible book! A definite 5 stars!!

Dracula in the Media
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Dracula is a fascination for the public in whole. There is something about an elegant handsome man that can stare into a woman's eyes and seduce her for his blood thirst. Dracula has invaded our minds, our thoughts with the extreme media coverage that this horror icon has achieved. Dracula can be seen on various television shows, numerous movies, thousands of books and comic books. Dracula has crossed over with fictional celebrities all over the world. How did this all begin?

Bram Stoker
It started off with an author named Bram Stoker. When Bram wrote his Dracula novel, little did he know that this creation he came up with, will live on forever. Bram selected a historical figure and that historical figure was Vlad III aka Dracula. Bram did some researching of Romanian history and with his findings, he had the perfect creature of the night, that being Dracula. When Bram wrote his novel, it was a collection of realistic, but fictional diary entries, telegrams, letters, ship's logs and newspaper clippings. The reader of his Dracula novel felt the realism to the story. Can Dracula actually be real? When Bram's novel came out, if they had such a thing as "going viral", his novel definitely went viral all around the world. The world is now aware of this spectacular creation by Bram. Dracula was here to stay.

Vlad the Impaler aka Dracula
While Bram was studying Romanian history, he learned that Vlad III aka Vlad the Impaler was an important leader in Wallachian history and a national hero to his people of Romania. Vlad III would at times dine outside and while dining, his enemies were impaled on stakes already dead or slowly dying while Vlad feasted. Bram learning this, knew that his character Dracula had to have a real connection, and that real life connection is no other than Vlad III. Some history of Vlad III is that he was the second son of Vlad Dracul who was the ruler of Wallachia in 1436. Vlad gained a bad taste of the Ottoman Empire when the Ottoman Empire in 1442 took Vlad and his younger brother Radu as hostages to get their father to favor the Ottoman Empire. Hatred fell upon Vlad III when the Ottoman Empire killed Vlad III's older brother Mircea and his father.

Countess Bathory
Countess Elizabeth Báthory de Ecsed was a noblewoman of Hungary. It is rumored that Bram took the story of Vlad III and combined it with the horrors that the Countess did in her country of Hungary. The Countess and four of her servants are rumored to have killed 300 virgin women. The Countess would bathe in virgin's blood to maintain her youth and gain immortality. The killings occurred during 1590 and 1610. The Countess and her servants were arrested. After the trial the Countess was imprisoned for the rest of her life in the Castle of Csejte.

Danielle-Diva Borozan
I am fortunate to know a descendent of Dracula. The descendent I am referring to is spiritual advisor and podcast host Danielle-Diva Borozan. Danielle is doing her own investigative work on the legend of Dracula and truly wants to know if her ancestor really committed all of the dastardly deeds that he is credited for. Did Bram over play on the character of Dracula and if he did, did he also forget that Dracula was seen as a hero to his people? I look forward to reading Danielle's research on her great

ancestor.

Dracula in the Media

Dracula is everywhere. Dracula connects the whole multiverse. If you love reading comic books, you will know that Dracula has met all types of comic book characters from Werewolf by Night (Marvel Comics) to Vampirella to King Arthur to Batman (DC Comics) to Zorro to Indiana Jones to Doctor Strange (Marvel Comics) to Man-Bat (DC Comics). Since the character of Dracula is in the public domain, he can be used by everyone. Mary Shelley's Frankenstein has met up with Dracula in the movies and in the comic books. A historical character like King Arthur meets up with Dracula in an independent comic book. Dracula meets up with Sir Conan Doyle's Sherlock Holmes in a movie. Dracula meets up with Carmilla in a cartoon. The fun loving Buffy the Vampire Slayer encounters Dracula on her TV show. Win Scott Eckert who writes many books on crossovers, mentions in his books all of the characters that Dracula has met. Grandpa Munster on the Munsters talks about his meeting with Dracula and at some point of time, even claims that he is Dracula (which I don't believe). There is even a movie out, that is based on the historical figure Billy the Kid meeting Dracula. My question is, who hasn't Dracula met? Dracula will be on the minds of people until the end of days. Dracula showed his immortality by being all over the media. Dracula is here to stay!

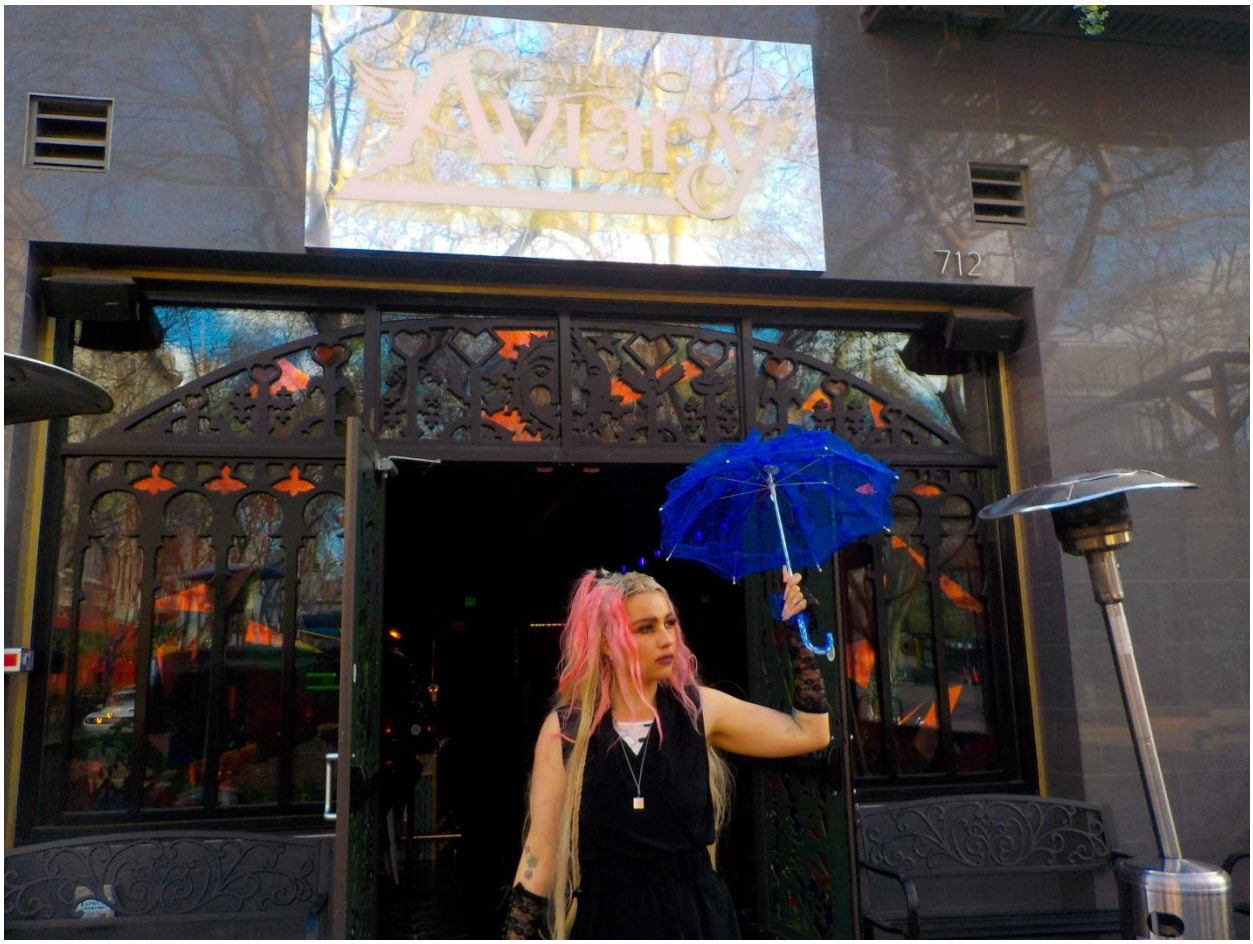
Is the Darling Aviary Bar & Grill Haunted?

Paul Dale Roberts, HPI's Esoteric Detective
Halo Paranormal Investigations

3/23/2023: Sometime in July of 2022, I received a direct message on my Facebook from Kailani Mondal of San Jose. Kailani was in Sacramento visiting her two female cousins and on one night, they decided to go out and stopped off at the Darling Aviary Bar & Grill. The night was fabulous as they overlooked the city from the top floor. At some point of time, one of Kailani's cousins wanted to go outside for a cigarette, so they took the elevator down to the lower floor. While in the elevator, Kailani's cousin had something funny to say and they started laughing out loud. Kailani noticed that in the elevator was an older lady in what looked like Victorian style clothing. When Kailani and her cousins were laughing out loud, the older woman looked at Kailani and placed her forefinger across her mouth and said..."shhhhh!" Kailani was startled that this older woman would do that. As Kailani and her cousins came out of the elevator, Kailani asked her cousins if they saw the older woman shh'ing them. To Kailani's surprise, her cousins NEVER saw the older woman in the elevator. Kailani asked her cousins, how could you miss her, she was standing in the corner! Kailani said she only had one drink, it wasn't like she was drunk or anything. I asked Kailani if she might have some psychic abilities. Kailani says she has been told that she has a psychic gift. I explained to Kailani that with her psychic abilities, that is probably why she saw the apparition and her cousins did not. Also, there is the factor that Darling Aviary is located close to the once famous Old Record Store on K Street Mall. The Old Record Store was haunted by an old woman in Victorian style clothing and she did not like loud noises. There was an incident in which a customer was talking loud and the old woman ghost appeared and told him to "be quiet". The old woman ghost is probably haunting nearby establishments of the Old Record Store. Kailani was very surprised to learn that she may have encountered the ghost of the Old Record Store. I told Kailani when I have time, I will check out Darling Aviary. That day has come and Deanna Jaxine Stinson, Psychic Medium picked up on a little girl that is playful, but did not pick up on the old woman. I did an EVP sweep and did not obtain any EVP evidence.

Sacramento is a very old town and has been around since 1850, so there are many places and locations in Sacramento that are haunted. We even brought our K-9 Paranormal Investigators Story and Champagne to Darling Aviary Bar & Grill and they didn't detect anything. As we walked down K Street the dogs got excited

as we came upon the Crest Theater. The Crest Theater is known to be haunted and when I did an investigation at the Crest Theater our EMF Reader went off at this one seat and when we snapped a photo, we got a blue mist hovering over one seat. Another investigator obtained an EVP of a woman saying "move away". Crest Theater is not too far away from Darling Aviary Bar & Grill. So, I have to wonder if some of these ghosts on K Street are spilling over to other establishments, it sure seems like it is. When I can investigate more in this area, I might just get my answers.



The location to the Darling Aviary Bar & Grill, can be found below:
712 K Street
Sacramento, CA
www.darlingaviary.com/

After our investigation, I gave our dogs a nice walk at John C. Fremont Park, 1515 Q Street, Sacramento and Deanna felt the spirit of a white fox at the park. One of the things that makes Sacramento so haunted and not a lot of people realize is that the Sacramento River Massacre occurred on the embankments of the Sacramento River. An expedition party lead by Captain John C. Fremont of Virginia slaughtered the Wintu people at the Sacramento River. The park where I walked my dogs, is named after the man that slaughtered these native people. Anywhere from 125 to 900 Wintu people were killed. The Sacramento River Massacre happened around 1844. Sacramento has a bright future, but has a dark history. That dark history brings out the many spirits that haunt our city.

JIMINY CRICKET CROSSOVER CRICKET WIRELESS

3/26/2023: Got a call today from Edith in Utah. She had an unusual experience. The crickets stopped making their chirping noises and then she saw 3 shadow people in her front yard. When the shadow people left, the crickets started back up with their chirping noises. I referred her to a Utah ghost hunting group. Here is a drawing for Edith and they are friendly crickets. Jiminy Cricket crossing over with Cricket Wireless. Drawing by Richard Vasseur - Concept by Paul Dale Roberts

<u>VAMPIRE TOUR OF SAN FRANCISCO: A BLAST FROM THE PAST</u>

Shannon McCabe, President of H.P.I. (Haunted and Paranormal Investigations) of Northern California learned about The Vampire Tour of San Francisco through Ricardo Pustanio of Haunted America Tours. Like I have said many times before, we investigate all things 'paranormal' and vampires are not an exception to the rule. September 29, 2007, Saturday, I headed over to Shannon's home and met up with fellow paranormal investigator Chris Grissom. The three of us were heading to San Francisco this day in Shannon's Ectoplasmamobile aka Ecto 1, with Shannon driving. It was around 1:30pm when I arrived at Shannon's and she told Chris and I, we're going to pound flesh and hand out flyers at Sierra 2 Center and Curtis Park, where they were having a festival in the park. The flyers indicated that HPI is having a Halloween Bash at the Sierra 2 and the community was invited. So, that is what we did, introduced ourselves as HPI paranormal investigators and handed out flyers. After walking around the park for a good couple of hours, I heard my stomach growling, it was time to eat and head off to San Francisco. We got back in Ecto 1 and stopped at Shannon's favorite eating spot. AM/PM Mini Mart for hamburgers and hotdogs. Okay, maybe that's not Shannon's favorite eating spot, but the meal was a reasonable price and we weren't hungry anymore. Shannon treated Chris and I, to bottles of Starbucks ice coffee that she had in the trunk of the car. Now, that was a good pick me up.

Shannon, like a bat-out-of-hell zoomed down Hwy 80 towards San Francisco and maneuvered through the streets of San Francisco with the experience of a street cop. We finally located a place to park and headed over to the elegant Hamilton Hotel to meet with our first vampire. As we waited for our first

vampire interview, we dined on decadent spring rolls with shrimp and crab and chased down some Heineken and Anchor Steamboat beer. Then as I looked over to the left corner, I glimpsed a lady in black, it was our first vampire. She calls herself Mina Harker (a character from Bram Stoker's book Dracula). Her real name is Kitty Burns. I learn all kinds of fascinating things about Kitty. She was actually a host at a vampire tour in Transylvania twice and once spent the night in Dracula's Castle. She hosted one tour with Eddie Munster aka Butch Patrick. She tells me how she once booked a vampire tour in New Orleans, during a business trip and wondered why San Francisco doesn't have a vampire tour in their own city. Then it dawned on her, she is a published playwright and why not start her own tour, she immediately started writing a script for the tour and has been giving the tour for 6 years now. She says the tour is more lighthearted and really doesn't dwell on the dark side of vampirism. It's more comedy than horror. I can just imagine that the script must have been pouring through her mind, while she cruised down the Mississippi River, when she made that business trip in New Orleans. As I let Kitty talk, she discussed a very colorful character Emperor Norton and how no mortal could pull off printing his own money and collecting taxes from the people. She talked about James Flood, a successful businessman and how the vampire community loved him. In fact the vampire community learned how to start their own businesses through James Flood. We discussed various vampire clubs in existence around San Francisco and how people that embrace the vampire culture. Some of the vampires play the game Masquerade. Masquerade is a role playing vampire game. I mention to Kitty, that role playing games like Masquerade can sometimes get out of hand.

For an example:
A group of three teenagers were charged with the bludgeoning death of a Florida couple, parents of a fourth girl in their group. These teenagers were involved in the fantasy role playing game Vampire. Police said They "tortured puppies" and even "drank one another's blood." "Police said [the teens] were attracted to vampires by a best selling role-playing game.

A Virginia Beach man.was sentenced.to 26 years in prison for sexually molesting [and biting] eight teen-age girls he [had] recruited for his vampire 'family'" through the playing of "a game in which players assumed the roles of ancient vampires.
This is the dark side of vampirism that Kitty shuns and doesn't want to think about. It made me think, that everything seems to be a balance of Yin and Yang. There is the balance of good and the balance of evil. There will always be a balance of good and evil, it has been with us since the beginning of mankind and it will be with us to the end of days. Fortunately, this evening we are seeing the good side of vampirism through Kitty's eyes.

Kitty tells me that she dresses for the tour and wears a vampire costume of all black. Many Goths have taken her tour. She was approached one time by a vampiress during the tour. The vampiress placed her hand on her shoulder and said "some of us really exist darling." She gets up to 15 to 30 people that take her nightly tour, at one time she had 95 people on the tour. The vampire movies that Kitty loves are Abbott and Costello Meets Frankenstein, Interview with a Vampire (except that it was too bloody for Kitty's taste), Bela Lugosi's Dracula. She goes on to tell me that one time Kim Basinger took her tour and she didn't point out Kim to the crowd and just let her enjoy the tour. After the tour, Kitty approached Kim and said..."has anyone ever told you, you look like Kim Basinger?" Kim laughed and said..."yes, all the time!"

After I interviewed Kitty, I went over to the park across the street to interview two more vampires. I met up with Cole and Rhiannon. Cole states that when he was 17 years old, he had misconceptions on vampirism, he compared vampirism to what he watched from Hollywood movies, until he met a woman

that explained to him what vampirism is really about, then he knew that true vampirism implied to his own persona. This is a woman he met at a Goth club. Rhiannon said she didn't realize it at first, but something was different about her, starting from what she felt in the 3rd grade. She felt other people's energy, she felt empathy for others, she could feel people's energy signatures left behind on objects, sort of like psychometrics. She could go past a school desk and feel the energy signature of the person that sat on that desk. Cole says that the scientific community needs to catch-up and discover what vampirism really is, it could be referred to as bio-deficiency syndrome as Cole likes to call it. Rhiannon says maybe vampires should be called energy absorbers. Cole elaborates and says that certain people as we call vampires, don't create enough energy within their beings and must acquire energy from others. Blood is a source of energy, some vampires may take their energy from ambient energy sources, like from a Black Sabbath concert, where there is a high abundance of energy. Rhiannon says she does better from one person, a willing host to her energy feeding. She and Cole can absorb energy from a touch and do not attempt to take energy from an unwilling host. The touch can last up to 30 seconds to a minute.

Rhiannon, a lovely red haired vampiress tells me that she met Cole at a vampire oriented club called The Glass Cat. The Glass Cat was having a vampire ball. The Glass Cat is known to play electronic and industrial music and when she met Cole, they have been friends ever since. I asked Rhiannon and Cole how they acquired their canines. Both have fangs that stand out and they told me that their fangs are actually natural. Cole is a handsome young man, that wears a black trench coat, black shirt, black pants, black tie and has long black hair, he definitely looks the part of a vampire. As the interview ended and I saw Rhiannon and Cole walk away, I remembered something that Cole had told me. He said that at times he takes in 2 or 3 teaspoons of blood. I forgot to ask him if that was human blood or animal blood and how does he acquire that blood? Does Rhiannon also drink blood? I was completely absorbed with the energy absorbing topic, I completely forgot about the consumption of blood. Well, it was time to move on as Shannon, Chris and a Berkeley journalist named Kevin Jones were approaching me. Kevin Jones was here to interview Shannon, Chris and I, about our ghost hunting.

As I was walking with Shannon, Chris and Kevin, I remembered how Cole told me that psycho are psychos as I questioned about the darker side of vampirism, such as the serial killer Richard Trenton Chase aka The Vampire of Sacramento. Cole also told me that he was aware of 10 true vampires in San Francisco and how vampirism is a condition. The reason why vampires wear black, is because black is an absorbent color. I talked about physical vampires, vampires that get their boost from the physical exertion of others, or sexual vampires, a person who goes from one partner to another, acquiring energy from their conquests. Cole tells me that in all cases, it's energy they are acquiring. To have sex, is exerting energy. To be physical as being pushed to do a lot of exercises, is exerting energy. I can only wonder if Army drill sergeants who push soldiers over the limits are energy vampires. I can only wonder again, if playboys like Warren Beatty who go from one conquest to another, are also energy vampires. Cole and Rhiannon are two delightful people that enjoy life and Rhiannon's favorite vampire movie is Interview with a Vampire, while Cole enjoys the old Bela Lugosi's Dracula movies.

Vampires are everywhere. Right down the street where I live, I have a vampire neighbor named Tremaine that has silver plated vampire fangs. How Tremaine became a vampire is anyone's guess, he really doesn't discuss it, but he came from a family that was once associated with the Los Angeles Crips, his family is now disassociated with the Crips and live a descent suburbia life in Elk Grove. In HPI we have a ghost hunter named Carol Gillis that is a self-proclaimed vampiress. Also, in HPI another ghost hunter named Cherie Vincent embraces the vampire culture and has two vampire bite tattoos on her neck.

The tour commences: Kitty takes on the character of Mina Harker. She is Mina Harker and tells of falling victim to Dracula. She discussed Bram Stoker's book Dracula and elaborates her transformation of a living human being to a vampiress. There is black lining around her eyes, her skin is pale white, she wears a black cape and her outfit is all black. Mina carries a candle holder with candles as she starts her tour. She discusses everything about an underground vampire culture that originates at Nobb Hill. She blurs fiction with history as she talks about the following:

1. First Stop: The Grace Church. Mina talks about the battleship General Harrison and many ships that are part of the landfill that San Francisco is built upon. Beneath San Francisco are buried opium dens and brothels. That Hollywood has us snowed on what real vampirism is all about, that vampires can actually walk into churches. While Mina is talking about the graveyard of ships that San Francisco is built upon, towering behind us is the majestic Grace Church where once Charles Crocker lived on that land, before the church was built. Charles Crocker is the founder of the Crocker Bank. Mina discusses the Wall of Spite and the presence of skull and crossbones near the wall. How fires at the church were blamed on the vampire community and further discussions of Mark Twain residing in San Francisco and the colorful character Emperor Joshua Norton, Emperor of the United States and Protector of Mexico and that the things that he pulled off, he couldn't have been a mere mortal, that he must have been a vampire to excel with the accomplishments during his reign. Some of those Norton accomplishments were making it a misdemeanor if anyone said the name 'Frisco' referring to the city of San Francisco. San Franciscans do not like the name Frisco and until this day, this misdemeanor is still in the law books. Mina connects Dracula to Emperor Norton and goes on to discuss a Masonic cemetery. She tells how the Bay Bridge may be renamed to the Norton Bridge. As I surveyed the crowd, I came upon another HPI paranormal investigator named Hanako Zeidenberg. When Hanako lived in Sacramento, she participated in the 400 Capitol Mall Haunting Investigation. She now lives in Oakland and decided to see what the vampire tour is all about. Shannon and I, gave Hanako a big warm welcome hug. Hanako has been away from HPI since her move and Shannon tells Hanako, she is always HPI and is part of the family forever. Hanoko radiates a big beaming smile and I tell her about the Mt. Shasta UFO/Bigfoot Pre-Investigation that is coming up and she is interested in participating in this pre-investigation. I hope she does!

2. Second Stop: Nob Spring Cleaners/Nob Hill Cafe. Nob Spring Cleaners is next to Nob Hill Cafe and Mina explains that Jack the Ripper (who she claims is a vampire) came to San Francisco and changed his name to Choker Barnes. She claims at the cafe, the greatest vampire vs. mortal battle happened, in which 20 people were killed. It was because that a vampire den was discovered at the cafe and since vampires are very secretive, they fought the mortals to retain that secrecy. Mina elaborates on another Hollywood myth and talks about Buffy the Vampire Slayer. She says that Buffy can kill vampires with any type of wood, that this is an untruth. Vampires can only be killed with ashwood, the wood from the cross that Jesus Christ was crucified on. Mina says that San Francisco City Hall is the 2nd most haunted building in San Francisco and Alcatraz is the most haunted and takes the #1 spot.

3. Third Stop: James Flood's Home, which is now Pacific Union Club. Mina explains how the vampire community gave James Flood protection and security, because they respected his knowledge on business affairs. They also wanted to make James Flood a vampire and James stood up to the vampires and proclaimed that he came into the world as a mortal and is leaving this world as a mortal. James Flood had an underground tunnel from his mansion to his mistress house

across the street. Some underground tunnels in San Francisco lead to brothers and clubs, Mina explains. When Mina entered James Flood's home one night, she heard an unearthly voice tell her 'it's true!' from a comment that Mina had made in the house. Mina talks about the comedian/accused murderer Fatty Arbuckle and how he was associated with the St. Francis Hotel.

4. Fourth Stop: The Fairmont Hotel. Many movies were made at this hotel from Vertigo to The Rock. Prince Charles to Mick Jagger has stayed in this hotel as guests. The 7th Floor is reputed to be very haunted. It could be haunted by WWII soldiers that once stayed on that floor. A lady of the evening was murdered in the tower area of the hotel and a guest once saw the phantom of this murder victim as she laid on a 4 poster bed that no longer exists in the hotel, she was in a red teddy and actually talked to the guest. When the guest told hotel management, the management explained to him that they no longer have 4 poster beds in the room and when they went back to the room, there was no woman laying on a 4 poster bed in a red teddy. The guest was startled and realized he encountered the phantom of the murdered woman that night. The penthouse of this hotel is reputed to be haunted and Mae West's ghost is sometimes seen near the Penthouse. President Truman once stayed at the Penthouse. The lobby area of the Fairmont Hotel has a gorgeous staircase, this is where Gone with the Wind was filmed. Chris Grissom points out to Shannon McCabe that there was a figure in one of the darkened windows that peaked out at the crowd. Shannon saw the figure too, it was a head moving swiftly to the window and then moving back to hide. Chris and Shannon both thought this was quite odd. If it was a normal person, why wouldn't they just look normally from their window upon the crowd, why go back and hide behind the wall? Could this have been a phantom?

5. Last Stop: Mark Hopkins Hotel. During the last stop I was being interviewed by Kevin Jones about my own ghost hunting activities and didn't hear too much about what Mina had to say about this magnificent looking hotel and only gathered some information about 100 variety of martinis and the variation of martinis that is associated with this hotel.

The tour was fun and informative and Mina presented the information with enthusiasm and delight. As I was leaving the tour, I got a tap on the right shoulder. I turned around and a man dressed all in black asked me how I enjoyed the tour. I told him, it was a blast and wished it didn't have to end. He smiled and said that I have a lot more to learn about vampires. I asked him what his name was. With a hypnotic stare, he said 'Lee Stat' and walked backwards into the shadows. As I tried to follow his steps, he was no where around. As I rejoined Shannon and Chris, I thought about the name. Did he say Lee Stat or Lestat? Hmmmm.

Chris and I piled in Shannon's Ecto 1 and headed over to The Gold Cane on Haight Street and came upon Puppy, a guy we interviewed during the Haight Haunted Walking Tour. We talked with Puppy for a while, while Chris and I had a round of Jack and Coke. Shannon had to play the straight arrow, since she was driving Chris and I home. All three of us were getting tired and we rushed back to Ecto 1. Going to San Francisco, expenses gather and this is how I add things up for this trip.

Gas for Shannon's car: $20.00 Paul's pocket.
Parking for Shannon's car: $15.00 Chris's pocket.
Drinks at Hamilton Hotel: $20.00 Shannon's pocket.
Drinks at The Gold Cane: $15.00 Chris' pocket.
Midnight Snacks at McDonalds: $14.00 Paul's pocket.
The San Francisco Vampire Tour: Priceless!

The Demon Warrior Recommendations. Megan & Mayfair Witches!

For a movie that out does Chucky! That would be Megan!

For a TV show that out does Charmed! That would be Mayfair Witches, thanks to Anne Rice!

<u>THE SAN FRANCISCO GHOST SOCIETY'S HAUNTED HAIGHT WALKING TOUR (BLAST FROM THE PAST)</u>

From September 17 to September 20th, I flew on Southwest Airlines from Sacramento to Phoenix, Arizona to Albuquerque, New Mexico and last location Midland/Odessa, Texas. I was greeted by my ex-wife Patricia Mary Boyd, her husband Gary Boyd and their son Markus Boyd. They drove me to Midland Memorial Hospital, where I could be with my stepson who I raised from a baby. My son Jason Randall Porter was lying in a hospital bed from a ruptured appendix. There was complications to the rupture and I was there to support him. He was back to normal by Thursday and was allowed to go home. But, the reason I am telling you all this is because when Jason was sleeping, I had a hard time sleeping on the cot in his hospital room, I roamed the hallways and talked with two employees of this hospital. They don't want to be identified, so I will call them Nurse X and Cleaning Lady X. Yes! I did a small investigation of this hospital, by doing the first thing in an investigation. Interviewing the witnesses. Nurse X explained to me that she used to clean the Hospice rooms and one night, she felt a swift cold breeze move quickly down the hallway and a door opened and then closed on its own accord. Another night, she said a nurse heard clanging sounds from another room and went into the room to investigate and some hospital items were moved. Cleaning Lady X told me that when cleaning in the morgue area, she has heard strange bangings on the wall. One time she thought she saw a shadow move across the hallway. As we all know, hospitals are reputed to be haunted and Midland Memorial Hospital is not an exception to the rule. When I was flying from Sacramento to Phoenix, I sat next to Julie Dennis of Nevada City. She asked me what my occupation was. I told her my real job and then told her I was also a ghost hunter on the side. She then told me that she had a spectacular UFO event that happened to her when she was in Los Angeles. She saw a huge mother ship UFO go over the horizon and dart away towards the East. She said she will never forget this paranormal event for the rest of her life. As you can see, when I am not supposed to be paranormal investigating, I am still on the job, no matter where I am.

Now here is an email I received from fellow HPI Paranormal Investigator Lisa Carlson, she has an interesting tale to tell:

"They call it Tahoe Paradise now and it is a truly beautiful place. Nestled in the shadow of Angora Ridge it teems with life. Majestic conifers and Manzanita, black bear and coyote, Stellar's jays and eagles bear witness to a way of life lost to the not so distant past. The Washoe Indians spent an incredible 9000 years living in the Lake Tahoe Basin during the summers fishing, picking berries, yet it only took a few short years to eliminate them from it.

Mona's family bought the chalet style house in the 1980's. Set in the national forest it is a quiet restful spot to go and unwind, most of the time. Soon after buying the house family and friends felt trepidation about the upstairs and loft area of the house sensing that feeling of not being alone. One friend over for Thanksgiving of all things, saw an Indian man standing on the landing. A seance held one year resulted in a very active spirit writing of the year 1842.

One of the most compelling experiences happened late one night while Mona was in bed with her infant son. The window was open and she heard an unusual sound outside. It was a sound like many human voices together that grew louder and louder as they lifted higher into the air. The pitch of the voices grew so strong that it began to sound inhuman. Years later Mona learned that her sister, too, had heard the same phenomenon on a separate occasion.

Could it be the energy of a spiritual people bound to a beautiful land? Nine thousand years is long time. Perhaps they couldn't be forced off after all. Lisa Carlson"

Lisa, this is definitely a place I would love to visit and investigate, thank you for the enlightening story! Now, everyone who is reading this article is probably saying..."why is Paul talking about Midland/Odessa, Texas and Tahoe Paradise? When is he going to talk about San Francisco? Okay, okay, hold your durn britches....I got one other story to tell you. I correspond a lot with the legendary famous Nancy Bradley - Psychic to the Stars, who I met through Shannon McCabe. Nancy has so many stories and I received an email, in which she tells a very unique ghost story, that really grabbed my interest. The reason that this incident happened to Nancy is the fact she is a psychic and spirits are able to see a light and are drawn to that light. The light is Nancy Bradley. Of course, if the spirit knew Nancy in real life, they are drawn to that light even more. Here is what Nancy had to say:

"I would love to do the interview with you, we can set up a time, and (Yes, I will be doing an interview with Nancy Bradley, I can't wait! Paul).....share Vincent Gaddis's work with you as well, I have a lot of it here.

When Vince died (not anywhere near here) I was in the shower. I came out and he was sitting on one of my (then) big speakers. For whatever reason this did not surprise me even though he had not been to the enchanted cabin ever and I was naked. I said "Vincent - hang on, I am going to get a towel". Totally comfortable with my old friend, glad he was there, I grabbed a towel and wrapped it around me and came running back into the living room. I never gave thought that he did not have a house key to get in. "What are you doing in town Vince, it is so good to see you!" I said. It had been 4 years since we had seen each other though we kept in touch by phone and letter. "I'm dead!" he said.

He looked perfectly clear and I refused to believe him. Not that he would lie, or I did not know, I just

did not want to believe it. So I called Borderland Science Foundation where he lived and worked (founded), and said "Vincent is here." They said "Vincent just died".

So I went back to the speaker and he was gone, but we have had many conversations since. Nancy Bradley www.nancybradley.org"

Absolutely fascinating, thank you Nancy for sharing this story! Wow! This woman is incredible! Okay, I know everyone wants to know what happened on the 'Haunted Haight Walking Tour'. www.hauntedhaight.com Let's go for it! The date is Saturday, September 22, 2007. I pull up to Shannon's house at 12 noon, jump into the Ectoplasmamobile and Shannon picks up one of her lead investigators Tim Hawkins. We're off and running to San Francisco. I get a call from Donna Reynolds and Athena Quinn, they are already in San Francisco and they are lost. Shannon directs them to where they need to be and relieves Donna's stress of driving through busy San Francisco traffic. I knew at this time we should have placed a HPI GPS tracking device on Donna's car.

When Shannon, Tim and I, arrived we saw the HPI army of paranormal investigators sitting in on Sharon Leong's ghost photography classes and Anne Leong's dowsing rod classes. As I looked around the classroom, I was counting heads and saw that the following paranormal investigators showed up: Dee Pizarro, Lou Paman, Jean Paman, Marcus Stout, Julie Grissom, Chris Grissom, Mary Casiano, Alicia Perry, Athena Quinn, Jennifer Baca, Tony Baca, Joey Paman, Donna Reynolds, John Wachter aka Vlawde (he got that name Vlawde from some online video game, I always wondered about that), and Michelle Paykel. Marcia McCord of the Diablo Valley Paranormal was also there.

I went to the restroom to see if I had a nosebleed from Shannon's erratical driving to San Francisco. As I walked into the restroom, I now knew what it was like to be a L39-C Albatros jet fighter pilot, that has been exposed to 4000 lbs of thrust, receiving the ultimate adrenaline rush. The G-Force in Shannon's car the Ectoplasmamobile thrust my face into the side window of her car, maybe a dozen times. Drivers on the Bay Bridge must have thought I was making faces at them, as my face was contorted against the car window. Anyway, I survived.

Chris Grissom (video tech expert) and I, set up the camera for Shannon's class on Hauntings in Placerville and the surrounding areas. Shannon, laid out some cute jokes and passed out candy to everyone. Her descriptions of the various haunted places was done with the expertise of someone who has experienced these places. Believe me, she has experienced these places and the class was very attentive to her stories.

After the classes, we were all ready to kill some time before the Haunted Haight Walking Tour was about to commence. Shannon lived in San Francisco for 5 years of her life and she knows the mean streets well. She even appeared on Nash Bridges as an extra. As we walked down San Francisco streets, I looked around me, especially in the Haight Ashbury district and saw the last of the hippies, Bohemian musicians and the Goth culture flourishing, I knew at this time, I was no longer in Kansas. At one point of time, I thought I saw Dirty Harry Callahan, Robert T. Ironside, Detective Mike Stone, Detective Steve Keller, Nash Bridges, Monk at some crime scene, along with Trapper John MD pulling up to check out the victim. As I look at the rooftops, was that the Charmed witches Paige, Piper and Phoebe looking down at us? There I go again, letting my imagination get away with me, it must have been that Red Victorian Punch and Orange House Punch I drank at Hobson's Choice with Shannon and Tim.

It's easy to kill time in San Francisco as Shannon interviewed people on the street and asked them if they ever had a paranormal experience. We stopped at the Cha, Cha, Cha and sampled their Sangria (Frutas para La Putas) which translated means 'Fruit of the Whores'. We did some more interviews, Shannon interviewed some guy at the bar, while my ghostwriting apprentice Athena interviews another guy at the table. Tim, Donna and I grooved to the music Jamie's Crying by Van Halen. While at the Cha, Cha, Cha, I met Kate and I asked her if she ever had a paranormal experience and she describes that when she visited the Joshua Tree Desert in 1999, she was with a group of people and she witnessed a cloud flashing red and blue lights for about 7 minutes. It was a bizarre cloud that had lights inside of it. This occurred around 9pm and as the crowd watched a blue streak go by, the cloud dissipated. From our interviews, it appears that many people have had paranormal experiences. As I look across the bar, I wonder is that Dirty Harry Callahan walking out of the bar? Ugh! It must be the Sangria! As we left Cha, Cha, Cha, we stopped at The Gold Cane, and finally stopped at the Coffee to the People, where we met up with Tommy Netzband, who wears many hats, he is the Tour Guide of the Haunted Haight Walking Tour, Paranormal Investigator of the San Francisco Paranormal Society, local historian and a sensitive.

First Stop/Entry to Golden Gate Park: Tommy describes on how 300 bodies were discovered by some developers in 1901 and they had to get rid of the bodies, some of the tombstones were used to build a sea wall and in 1867 at Buena Vista Park, they used the tombstones to build a sidewalk around the park. Tommy mentions that San Francisco is #7 most haunted place in America, with New Orleans being #1. Tommy mentions one of the top ghost sites in America called Haunted America Tours and that if anyone wants to know about some of the most haunted places in America, this is a website that they need to check out. www.hauntedamericatours.com

Second Stop: Panhandle Park: People at times witness a phantom man yelling for his dog. A man nicknamed 'Pigeon Man' who was known to feed his pigeons at the park all the time, was disturbed by a man nicknamed Buck Naked. He was given this name, because he had a band called the Bare Bottom Boys and they would perform naked to their audiences. Pigeon Man killed Buck Naked, because Buck Naked was harassing his pigeons. Buck Naked was shot in the back. People believe that Buck Naked still haunts this park. What is interesting is that there is no pigeons in this park, now that Pigeon Man is serving life behind bars.

Third Stop: 1660 Page Street. The home of Cult Leader Jim Jones of the Peoples' Temple. Tommy describes the deeds of Jim Jones that lead up to the tragedy in Guyana. Tommy during this tour, has contests and gives out some of the coolest and scariest prizes during his tour, which made the tour even more fun!

Fourth Stop: Victorian Homes Built by Robert Cranston. Robert Cranston was the son of a prominent Senator and built gorgeous Victorian homes with unusable balconies, at one time his homes cost a mere $7000.00, they now cost in the millions. Robert built his homes in what was once called the Wastelands. As Tommy was giving his spill, a friend of Tommy says: "Don't exaggerate Tommy". It appears that everyone knows who Tommy is, as I walked past two girls, they smiled at me and said: "Tommy gives an exciting tour, we have been on it!"

Fifth Stop: Park Branch Library. One of the oldest standing libraries in America.

Sixth Stop: Golden Gate Park. Tommy describes the introduction of Golden Gate Park in 1870 by then Governor Haight. He talks of the mysterious Lady of Stow Lake, whose children died in the lake. When

people see the 'lady', they describe her as wearing robes of all white and has flowing blonde hair.

Seventh Stop: The Kezar Pub. A place where the San Francisco 49ers hang out at. We took our break at this well established and very crowded pub. The place was jumping and people were grooving to Britney Spear's song: Toxic.

Eighth Stop: 643 Cole Street (Corner of Cole Street and Waller): In this house, a little girl phantom rattles the shower curtains, she loves to place Christmas ornaments in the refrigerator. Lights blink off and on in this home. The homes were built over an old amusement park (water park). Tommy feels this may be poltergeist activity.

Ninth Stop: Cole Street. The garage home of Charles Manson, Serial Killer and Cult Leader. This is where Charlie builds up his family, in this area and on Haight Street.

Tenth Stop: 635 Ashbury. This pink building is the home of Janis Joplin. People have heard the sounds of running boots going up and down the sidewalk in front of Janis' former home. There were many suicides and murders that have occurred on this street. The running boots phantom was most likely a guy that was shot by a sniper across the street. The sniper for no apparent reason shot 4 people on this street, killing one. The person he killed was wearing boots. This is a typical case of a residual haunting. Some people felt a heaviness in the air as they approached Janis Joplin's home. Karma Bennet, an empath smelled gunpowder in this area, before Tommy even told his story. My apprentice Athena alerts me to Karma's insight of this location. I quickly interview Karma and discover that her mother Karel Bennett is also an empath and knew a tragedy would happen at a Led Zeppelin concert in Tampa, Florida. Her prediction was correct. As we go on, we stop at 1437 Trax Bar to refresh ourselves and Tim and Shannon tease me with this huge slice of pizza they purchased for a mere 3 bucks at the Fat Slice Pizza! Hey, you guys, you didn't tell me you were going to get pizza! Ugh!

Eleventh Stop - The Last Stop. Stow Lake. Tommy has us all break up into teams. Each team leader would have a walkie talkie and it was up to us to conduct our own investigation and see if we can encounter the mysterious Lady of Stow Lake. I joined up with the Paman Stow Lake Task Force (cool name eh?), Joey Paman lead the investigation with Jean, Lou, Dee and I, in tow. I brought out my sound enhancement device and at one time, I heard a woman's laughter and a man saying 'no'. But, of course, I could have been picking up the sounds of the other team. Jean hears a woman humming, using the sound enhancement device. Joey uses his video camera and the rest of the team uses digital cameras for the investigation. We snap a lot of digital photos of small orbs. The team, especially Jean (who is a sensitive) feels heaviness near Strawberry Hill. Jean at one time feels like she is being pushed up the steps. As all of the teams reunite, many people from the various teams felt or witnessed something. Jean thought she saw a crossing shadow that moved across the lake. One of the paranormal investigators named Cathy Laswon told me that her mom's ashes were thrown into this lake. Her sister would have nightmares, because the ashes weren't delivered to the lake and when the ashes were finally thrown in, her sister's nightmares ceased.

This was an outstanding and very enlightening tour. I give Tommy Netzband a standing ovation for this fun-fillled spooky tour, he is a great local historian! Everyone felt fulfilled with newfound knowledge about the dark side of San Francisco, a side of San Francisco that most people are either unaware of or are too afraid to discover. As I departed, Shannon blasted some old disco tunes in her Ectoplasmamobile driving Tim in the backseat nuts. I, again experience the G-Force and look at Shannon and tell her, "ya girl, whip it real good!" As we get to Vacaville, I looked at Shannon and Tim

and say...."wasn't Donna and Athena supposed to be behind us following us out of the City?" Shannon looks startled and says..."oh crap, we forgot about Donna!" Donna if you are reading this, I hope you and Athena made it back safely....yikes! There was a happy ending, Donna and Athena did make it home safely. Donna's words: "You're a dead man Paul!" Oops!

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The Leger Hotel & the Haunted Crime Areas of Leonard Lake/Charles Ng (Blast from the Past)

With scouting missions, you really don't know what will occur or if you will be successful with a scouting mission. For example. Someone calls and says..."hey, Paul, you should check out the F Street Boarding house, I heard that it's haunted." Key words: "I heard". This person says they heard it was haunted, second hand information. With a scouting mission, you round up a team and check to see if the place is haunted or not. Sometimes you will have success, sometimes not. If there is success, then you can determine if you want to conduct another investigation into the area. This October 6, 2007, Saturday, I gathered my team at Starbucks on Howe 'bout Arden. I gave my briefing on Leonard Lake and Charles Ng. Basically what I said is that Leonard Lake was a survivalist, he built an underground bunker underneath his ranch home. He thought there would be a nuclear holocaust and by kidnapping women and bringing the women to his bunker, he and Charles could repopulate the world. Instead, they took 25 women to this underground bunker, tied them up, sexually assaulted them, tortured them and killed them. These heinous crimes were caught on video. When the seasoned detectives saw the videos, they were appalled at the ghastly sights. Leonard committed suicide, while his buddy Charles went up to Canada and killed 8 more people before getting arrested. He was extradited back to California, where he now sits on deathrow. I had Michele Stump - paranormal investigator/researcher fill in any gaps to my story and had Chris Grissom - video technician/paranormal investigator chime in on any key points of these serial killers.

Let's take a roll call: Paul Dale Roberts - Lead Investigator - Ghostwriter; Jenna DeLaughter - Paranormal Investigator-in-Training; Holly DeLaughter - Sensitive/paranormal investigator; Angel Kesti - Paranormal Investigator-in-Training; Stefanie Belson - Sensitive - Paranormal Investigator in Training; Donna Reynolds - Sensitive, Paranormal Investigator, Chris Grissom - video technician, paranormal investigator, Michele Stump - Researcher, Paranormal Investigator. What is unique about this team, two of our sensitives are Wiccans, Donna Reynolds with the Sacred Fire Circle and Stefanie Belson with Luna Grove, she is a heredity witch and her mother was considered a healer.

Angel Kesti volunteered to drive us all in her van, while Holly and her daughter Jenna wanted to follow us to the various sites. Before, I went on this mission to the unknown, I received a visit from a sensitive named Kathryn Newbold who gave me some insight about this trip and felt positive results would occur. After my visit with Kathryn, I knew this would be a good scouting mission. I made sure there were plenty of snacks for this trip and picked up Ritz crackers, Farmer John ham, salami, pepperjack cheese, Pepsi. When I was getting these snacks, Melissa who works at Bel-Air and knows that I am a ghost hunter assisted me with my groceries and said she wanted to relate a story to me. She said that when her mother died in May 07, she heard the sound of keys. When her mother was alive, she would always jingle keys. It was as if her mother was keeping an eye on her. Melissa's sister also thought she saw her mother immediately after her demise. Melissa and her sister haven't experienced any more manifestations of their mother or any key jingling. Melissa felt by telling me this story, I would be the one person to understand her story. I completely understood, because when my mother passed away,

my father saw my mother glide down the hallway and after that never experienced anything again. Most likely Melissa's mom and my own mother went into the light and are in a better place now.

Sorry, about that, sometimes I get wrapped up in other stories and get a little bit off track to the now-and-then story about this road trip to the town of Wilseyville, where Leonard Lake owned a ranch with a torture chamber bunker. On our ride to Wilseyville, we kept thinking how Hollywood horror movies always have a group of people on a road trip in a van, heading out to some small town, laughing all the way down the road, telling stories, then bad things start happening. On our trip to Wilseyville, we almost ran out of gas, our cell phones were dead, even my Verizon was dead in some parts of the trip and I was looking around for my 'network' and they were nowhere around. We almost hit a mother deer and her two calves as they crossed the street, we almost got stuck on a muddy hillside and we went around a lot of curves pretty fast zipping through a stop sign that popped out of no where. Some of the locales of Wilseyville looked somewhat odd and I kept thinking of that weird guy in Texas Chainsaw Massacre that would always clean your windshield, even after you tell him to stop, while the driver is trying to get directions. Finally we did locate 2 local cops and they never even heard of Leonard Lake. As we continue through these winding roads…did I just see a sign to the Crystal Lake camping site? No, just my imagination, I watch too many horror movies!

Whoa..whoa……why am I jumping ahead of myself and telling you about the Leonard Lake/Charles Ng investigation, when I didn't tell you about our mini-investigation of The Leger? Before, we started roughing it, we stopped at The Leger www.hotelleger.com 'Miami of the Sierra', 8304 Main Street - Mokelumne Hill, CA 95245. Michele Stump our researcher blurts out..."hey, that the Leger, it's reputed to be haunted!" I tell everyone, let's make a pitstop. I introduce myself to Jane Canty, owner of The Leger and she gave us a personal tour of the hotel and explained the history of the hotel to all of us. She even opened up the wine cellar and we were able to explore this area of the hotel. The Leger has been featured on the Discovery Channel. Jane explains that sometimes keys wind up missing, there are blue orbs that are seen. There is a spirit that everyone calls 'George'. The hotel once burned down and it was rebuilt. As I was walking around this hotel, Angel Kesti was telling me about her own experiences, she now lives in a haunted house and she constantly hears footsteps. Angel is very much aware of hauntings and gives me her insight to this hotel. Jane shows us George's room and George's portrait. George's room is Room 7. At one time a ghost-hunting group came to investigate and their camera tripod was mysteriously thrown to the ground. While we were taking digital photos, many of the investigators were capturing orbs on their photos. Holly, a sensitive was focused on the Leonard Lake investigation and while driving to The Leger had to tell me that she was getting images of Leonard Lake and Charles Ng partying with girls that they would meet at local bars in Jackson and driving them up to Leonard's ranch in Wilseyville. She was having a hard time getting these images out of her mind. I talked with a gentleman that was staying in the hotel and he looked at me and says…"did you know that Black Bart used to stay in this hotel, I think I am staying in the room he stayed at!" Jane Canty mentions the legends that stayed in this hotel, but never indicates that Black Bart stayed here.

As we continued with our tour of The Leger, I was told stories by Jane Canty about Rosa Leger, that wore a long white dress and she was a very proper person, she is sometimes seen at this hotel. Jane feels that there are 3 entities in this hotel. Jane provided email copies from some of her guests and as I was looking over one of the emails, a guest says that he heard an electrical buzzing while in bed and felt something touching his legs, it felt like bread crumbs landing on his leg and then felt electrical charges on his body. Another patron in Room 7, said she felt something pushing on her legs while she was trying to sleep, she was very scared from this experience. Some guests have heard the sound of children giggling in various rooms of the hotel. Another email, a patron experienced a 'shadow person'

gliding from one area of the room towards the window and disappeared. Other patrons describe objects moving around, the smell of old aftershave mingled with copper, a woman's hair lifted from her scalp and suspended in mid-air in front of family witnesses. It appears from these emails, that many patrons experience paranormal activities in this old historical hotel.

As I explored this hotel, there are jail bars on the bottom windows. The hotel was once a jail and courthouse. The lavish banquet room was once the old courthouse. There was a fire in the hotel in 1875. I was taken to Room 11, which is known to be haunted by a female phantom. The HPI team were telling me they were capturing orb pictures in Room 7 and in and around the hallway. Stefanie was feeling a lot of human activity in the hallways. Patrons have said that they have heard a little girl crying in Room 3 or in Suite #1. Luminaries such as Grover Cleveland, Mark Twain and the bandit Joaquin Murriata have stayed in this hotel. When Jane told me that Joaquin Murriata stayed in this hotel, the image came in my mind of the wanted poster of Joaquin, it read: "Wanted, the head of Joaquin Murriata and the hand of 3-Finger Jack!" Joaquin did lose his head, when he was killed. Teddy Roosevelt of the Rough Riders once stayed here too. Jane says that she thinks there are 3 entities in this hotel, but by looking at the patron's emails, there seems to be a whole lot more. The history of this hotel is amazing. There was a hanging tree out back. So a criminal could be heard in the courthouse, land himself in jail and later hanged out back at the hanging tree. How convenient for the criminal. As I entered the cellar, I was told that patrons feel there is a teenage boy that haunts the cellar, something tragic happened to this boy in the cellar and not too many people want to stay in this cellar long. The place does feel quite creepy as I visually surveyed this underground dwelling.

Michele Stump and I, did some more exploring near and around The Leger, we stopped over at the Town Hall on 1901 Main Street and the Adams & Company/I.O.O.F. Hall, we discovered that The Leger was built in 1875 and it was built on the site of Hotel de France. Hotel de France was built on this site in 1851.

Some of the sensitives reported feeling a woman's presence, a sad lamenting sensation, or hearing people talking in the larger rooms.

I talked with Celeste Garamendi, an employee of the hotel and she tells me that one night while cleaning up the bar area, the grate fell to the floor fell on its own. Her sister Cherie who also works at the hotel had her arms full and the doors mysteriously opened by itself, allowing her to enter the other room without opening the doors herself. Wow!! The Leger is a place that we definitely need to come back and do a full blown all night investigation as I related this to Shannon 'Ms. Macabre' McCabe, President of HPI on my cell phone. Shannon was working the information booth at the Northern California Renaissance Fair this day and told me she met my father Paul M. Roberts and his wife Cindy Anderson/Roberts who also attended the Renaissance Fair near Hollister. Shannon enjoyed hearing about my scouting mission and was completely fascinated with our experiences at The Leger. This report not only was being related to Shannon McCabe, but also to R.V. Scheide of the News and Review who is incorporating this story in his HPI Halloween story.

Back on the road again and we were heading for Schaads Lake Road/Blue Mountain Road where supposingly Leonard Lake and Charles Ng deposited some of the charred bones of their victims and took the lives of some of their victims near and around this area. What was unusual is that Stefanie related to everyone in the van that she felt like the cabin with the big cinder block was Leonard Lake's ranch home, she got this strange sensation as we passed it. Well, during this same time Holly, another sensitive was telling her daughter in her car she was feeling the same thing about this ranch house that

we were passing. Both sensitives felt the same thing passing this ranch house and were in two separate vehicles! That was amazing! As we explored the area, I didn't pick up anything on my Listen Up sound enhancer device. Holly feels she needs to investigate this one location and starts snapping pictures and when we look at her digital photo, it looks like the beginning stages of a full body apparition near a tree! The photo is incredibly strange! Holly takes a second photo of the same area and the photo is normal, it's just a picture of the tree and surrounding bushes.

We stayed up in this area for a while exploring and saw a strange man in a blue pick-up with a woman in the passenger seat. The woman would not make eye contact with us, but the strange looking man driving was staring at all of us. We all thought he had a crazy look on his face and that creeped us out more than any ghosts. It was time to look for a gas station. We found that gas station at Jackson. We decided to make one more stop. We stopped at the National Hotel in Jackson and I introduced myself to the owner. I told her I was a journalist with HPI and she smiled and said…"I know who you are." (because I wrote an article about National Hotel in regard to an all night HPI investigation at this hotel). I asked her if I could bring my team up and explore the hotel. She looks at me and smiles again…"Paul, you are welcome to do whatever you want, have fun." So, I took the team up to the various rooms and we snapped many pictures and tried to capture some EVPs, before heading home. The EVPs have not all been analyzed yet and I am still getting photographs sent to me for this article.

Angel told me that when she was driving home, she thought she may have brought a ghost home with her, because as she was driving, she heard a woman in the backseat of her van yell…'aaaggh!' in her ear. She was concerned about this. I explained to her that most ghosts are harmless and she probably has nothing to worry about, but to keep me informed. The only ghost in recorded American history that has ever been connected to a death, is known as The Bell Witch. When I was driving home, I don't think I had any ghosts in my car, but I thought about what happened this day and listened to 'Knocking on Heaven's Door' by Bob Dylan. I kept thinking this turned out to be a very good scouting mission with some spectacular results! Now, I must go over the evidence. Before I close this article, make sure to be on the lookout for Shannon McCabe and Nancy Bradley's DVD documentary Ghost Girls, for more information go to www.nancybradley.org and see Shannon's interview at Haunted America Tours at www.hauntedamericatours.net Well, I guess that winds up another investigation into the paranormal! Before I go though...Holly cracks me up, when I call her cell phone, she has a specific ring tone for me...'Mr. Crowley by Ozzie Osbourne!' She's a real card!

Haunted Sierra Leone & Carcassonne
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HAUNTED CARCASSONNE

In 1974, when I was in the Army and stationed in Nurnberg, Germany, I went on a military discount bus ride to Paris, France. This was a dream come true. To see the Eiffel Tower, Notre Dame, Versailles, Napolean Bonaparte's Grave, but the biggest thrill about this R&R (Rest & Recreation) vacation, was our stop at the fortified city of Carcassonne. Carcassonne became famous for its role in the Albigensian Crusades when the city was a stronghold of Occitan Cathars. There is so much history attached to this beautiful fortress. I learned that in August of 1209, the crusading army of the Papal Legate, abbot Arnaud Amalric, forced its citizens to surrender. Viscount Raymond-Roger de Trencavel was imprisoned while negotiating his city's surrender and died by mysterious circumstances three months later in his dungeon. The people of Carcassonne were allowed to leave, without their belongings and the new viscount was Simon de Montfort. Simon added new fortifications to the massive Carcassonne. Of course, I was the only soldier asking about any stories of haunting activities at the Carcassonne. The tour guide mentioned that he has seen strange moving shadows crisscross the walls. Locals have seen the appearance of two swords engaged in battle. The swords are seen, but no one is seen holding the swords. The locals call this strange phenomena "epees volantes", which means "flying swords". The tour guide says that many people have been tortured and died in the dungeons. Some prisoners died of starvation and there were many skirmishes that resulted in the deaths of French soldiers. With the deaths of many people at this historical site, it would be natural for this fortress to be haunted.

HAUNTED SIERRA LEONE

I actually have two relatives that have made a stop at Sierra Leone - West Africa. My ex-brother-in-law Robert Mitchell, while he served on the Navy's U.S.S. Nimitz and my uncle Jose Causing who served with the Merchant Marines. Sierra Leone is a nice stop over according to Robert and Jose. A long time ago Sierra Leone's dense tropical rainforest and swampy environment were considered impenetrable. The people of Sierra Leone had ecological problems with the tsetse fly, which carried a disease fatal to horses and the zebu cattle used by the Mande-speaking people. Because of the harsh conditions brought on by the tsetse fly, it drove off the Mandinka and other African empires trying to conquer this land. The Mali Empire tried to influence the people of Sierra Leone, but again, the tsetse fly kept them at bay. Islam was introduced by Susu traders, merchants and migrants from the north and east,

becoming widely adopted in the 18th century. Jose explained to me that in the Outamba-Kilimi National Park, there are many hippos, chimpanzee and the Colobus Monkey. According to the locals of Sierra Leone, there is one cryptid that you don't want to get close to, or gaze upon. That cryptid is the "Monkey Devil". If you see the Monkey Devil that looks like a Colobus Monkey with horns, someone in your family will die that is close to you. It's a curse to look upon the Monkey Devil according to my ex-brother-in-law. Jose said he talked with a local that saw the Monkey Devil twice and his wife and 1st born son died. Robert says that you do not need to be in the jungle to come across the Monkey Devil. The Monkey Devil has been seen in the city, on rooftops, in alleys. The Monkey Devil is a terrifying cryptid of Sierra Leone, many locals believe that this cryptid is a demon. Other locals believe that the Monkey Devil brings disease to the people of Sierra Leone. The living conditions in Sierra Leone can be over-crowding and unclean household items, that could be the source of various sickness.

BEALE AFB GERMAN POW CAMP HAUNTING INVESTIGATION

Today is Sunday, September 2, 2007, Labor Day weekend. But, before we move forward to the Beale AFB investigation, I get a call from new HPI Paranormal Investigator Debbie Butler on Saturday. Debbie actually joined HPI, after learning I was in HPI and hasn't been on any investigations yet. But, she is ready! Debbie tells me she has a very interesting story that may just peak my curiosity. We meet at Tower Cafe and with big sparkling eyes, she tells me a long story of paranormal experiences that have plagued her life. At the age of 7, she saw her stepbrother's deceased mom. She learns that she is an intuitive, at times she sees 'dead people'. All through her life, she feels presences. During her early years, late at night, she witnesses a shooting star. After the shooting star disintegrates into nothingness, spirits start whispering into her ear. They tell her soon there will be a crisis in her family. The prediction comes true. Debbie's deceased grandfather blows into her ear. When he was living, blowing into a family member's ear, was something he was fond of doing. Debbie's deceased grandfather would also make his presence known to Debbie's grandmother. He would also walk around the house, waking Debbie. Debbie has seen full body apparitions, she has had ghost dreams. In one dream she says 'boo' to the spirit and the spirit jumps out at her. There has been times when spirits gathered around her bed and held her down with her own blanket. She discovers that at her mom's house, a young child died of some sort of illness and she feels the presence of that child. As an intuitive, she walks up to a K Jeweler clerk and has an urge to tell her something important, because the clerk's deceased husband is now standing next to Debbie. The deceased husband who has died 3 months ago tells his ex-wife through Debbie that she has something very important to do, it had to do with his son wanting to get his share of money from the house and he was trying to stop his son, he wanted the house left as is, with his wife. He proved he was standing next to Debbie, when he told Debbie to tell his wife what his favorite song was. The clerk does what her deceased husband suggests and stops the son from taking his share of the house.

Besides ghosts, Debbie had the strangest paranormal experience in 1994, when the lights of the house she was living in would flicker on and off. Then all of a sudden 2 'gray' aliens appeared in front of her grandmother, hands outstretched. There was light emitting from the palm of their hands and eyes. The aliens glided to the left and disappeared. Her grandmother was not aware of the presence of the aliens and Debbie does not know why they appeared. This is Debbie's story and what a story it was.

Now, let's move up to Sunday. 7pm, I arrive to the Countess' home. Yep, I'm talking about Countess Shannon McCabe. Rolling in was Tim Hawkins in his VW Golf he calls the 'Blue Orb'. I look at Tim, I look at Shannon and tell them both, we are not rolling in Shannon's Ectoplasma Mobile and we''re not rolling in Tim's Blue Orb, we're rolling in the Ghost Tracer, my car. Shannon looks around for another

team member. Jennifer Baca was missing. I told Shannon that Jennifer has fallen ill and won't make this investigation. She is disappointed that she got sick, but I promised I would keep her appraised of our investigation. Tim and Shannon with their cases filled with equipment pile in my car and we head up I-5 North towards Marysville/Yuba City to meet up with Randy McCuddy, who is in the Air Force and his wife Alexis McCuddy. They brief us about the haunting activity at the former Camp Beale POW Camp that held German and Japanese prisoners of war. At one time this camp held 1000 prisoners. The POWs would provide agriculture labor to the nearby farmers. For recreation the POWs played soccer. There was tragedy at these POW camps. There were suicides and there was retribution by other POWs, In 1944, the POWs did other side jobs like mending clothing. In 1946 the camp closed. The POW cemetery was moved from Beale AFB to a site in San Bruno. Randy in his Mustang Cobra leads us to the base, Beale AFB. We check in with the guards, they take our identification and they take my registration to my vehicle and my insurance information. I guess they were checking that we weren't Al Queda. The security guards were looking me over and looking over my documentation real carefully. Since, I can pass as an Italian, as a Mexican or someone from the Middle East, due to my olive dark complexion, I started feeling nervous. I started hearing the theme song to Midnight Express and at any time I would have machine guns pointed to my head, as my arms are being raised over my head. Finally with a sigh of relief, they gave me my passes to enter the base. The Midnight Express song started to fade away as I re-entered my vehicle and got the go-ahead to move on.

We arrived at the Camp Beale German POW Camp. As we took video footage of the POW camp, checked for EVPs and took digital photos, Randy started getting a burning sensation on his arm. We looked at his arm and a scratch mark was forming. How he obtained this scratch mark is anyone's guess. He said, he didn't bump into anything that would have caused the scratch mark. The scratch mark on his arm is inconclusive on how it was caused. Tim and Shannon used the dowsing rods to try and communicate with any spirits that may be lingering at this POW camp. Tim and Shannon would think of questions and have me relate the questions in German. I used to speak fluent German, since I spent 3 years in Germany, while in the Army. I am still versed in German, but I'm not as good as I used to be in speaking it, but I was able to translate most of Shannon and Tim's questions. If we get any German language EVPs, I will be shocked! While Tim was using his dowsing rods, they indicated that we were speaking to a Japanese soldier captured at Iwo Jima in 1942. This is obviously incorrect as the battle of Iwo Jima was not fought until 1945.

Alexis who speaks Japanese helped Tim translate his questions. After checking some of my photographs, I did notice I captured some unusual orb activity. Of course, orbs really don't have any foundation, except for the fact I can't capture any orb activity at my own home, even after I have taken over a thousand photos in the darkness of my house.

We didn't see any paranormal activity with our own eyes, but we did manage to see a ton of black birds hanging around one particular tree, some bats flying in and out of the POW camp and of course some rabbits. We ended the investigatin at the POW camp and stopped over by some reconnaissance aircraft and took some pictures by the aircraft. Randy lead us out towards Marysville and Yuba City. He took us to places that may be haunted, or the local people say that these places are haunted. We arrived at the abandoned Marysville Hotel, built in 1872 and took some pictures. We checked out the abandoned State Theatre and took more photos. There were not findings at either location. Our final stop was the Yuba City cemetery. We captured some orb activity at the cemetery and one orb was a bright red in color. It seems like I get a lot of red orb shots at cemeteries for some reason or another. After this long night, we took off and headed back to Sacramento. Shannon needed something to perk her up, so she started playing 'Chase Me - Confunkshun, Bodytalk - The Deele, Make That Move - Shalimar, Good

Times - Chic, I'm Every Woman - Chaka Khan, Theme from Shaft - Isaac Hayes, Superfly and Pusherman by Curtis Mayfield, Double Dutch Bus by Frankie Smith.' Before I knew it Shannon was rocking out in my car. Then Shan looks at me and said...'Paul, I don't believe you were ever a dancer!' I have told Shannon I used to be a professional dancer with Jeff Kutache's Dancing Machine in Lake Tahoe and that at one time we were the first number for Cher in 1979, when she went solo. Shannon scoffed. I told Shannon that I was the 3rd and 5th Disco King of Sacramento and won dance contests that were judged by Wolfman Jack and Monterock III (who played the DJ in the movie Saturday Night Fever with John Travolta). More scoffing. I then got so irritated that she was debunking my claims of dancing, I pulled the car over and turned the bright lights on myself and Shan threw on Meeting in the Ladie's Room. I did some freelance dancing on the side of the road, while Shan videotaped it and said that this made her whole night. Tim clapped enthusiastically. Yep, I still know my dance moves, don't ever call me out Shan! You're talking to the former disco king of Sacramento! This ended our evening and our investigation of Beale AFB.

Findings:
No EVPs recorded. While we had some interesting responses during the dowsing sessions, we were able to debunk some of the information given.

Conclusions:
This place certainly is an interesting part of history. Whether it is haunted or not is inconclusive just based on what we gathered on this evening. Our host was scratched or burned by something that we can not explain, and some of us felt some strange energies around the cellblock. The dowsing sessions repeatedly identified energies in a particular area, but when it came to answering questions, the rods moved slowly at times, and we were able to debunk some of the information given. It would seem that with such conditions and tragedy surrounding an area, that there would be some haunting activity. While we didn't gather conclusive evidence on this particular night, this would certainly be an interesting place to re-visit.

The San Francisco Zodiac and a Witch Named Raven (BLAST FROM THE PAST)
Lake Berryessa, California Including: The 2007 Guided Tour of Haunted Placerville, California

by Paul Dale Roberts, HPI Ghost Writer
Today is a hot crispy day and there is a lot of things going on with H.P.I. (Haunted and Paranormal Investigations) of Northern California this day. Shannon 'Ms. Macabre' McCabe - President of HPI and two seasoned investigators Tim Hawkins & Cherie Vincent would take about 30 new HPI investigators on the Guided Tour of Haunted Placerville, which includes seeing and touring: Hangman's Tree Bar; The Hillsider Saloon; Historic Cary House Hotel; The Cozmic Cafe- or Pearson's Soda Works w/their underground mining caves; Hidden Passages Bookstore; Tomei's Restaurant; The Druid Monument; The Sequoia House Restaurant and The Placerville Union Cemetery. I speak to Shannon more often on my cell phone, than I do with my own father. If you ever watched X-Files, Mulder and Scully were always in constant communication with each other on their cell phones and today would be a day that Shannon and I would talk a lot, for briefings on two separate investigations. Since I am HPI's Ghostwriter, I needed to know what was occurring on the Placerville investigation and keep Shannon abreast with my Lake Berryessa investigation. On this day, Saturday - August 4, 2007, the day started normal. I started grooming my Chow T-Rex, while my Jack Russell Terrier named Pika jumps into his small pool, rolls around in the dirt and tracks mud all over the kitchen floor. I yell in mock anger..."The next time Pika, you're going to the dog pound!" Pika actually knows what the dog pound is. When he was younger, he ran away and got lost and was actually taken to the dog pound. When I found him at

the dog pound, he was so excited to see me, he urinated all over me. I said to him..."you didn't like the dog pound?" The word 'dog pound' stuck. Of course now, I tease him and would have no intention of ever taking him to the dog pound, but it's comical to see his reaction.

I know, I'm a meanie.

Let's get rolling on the investigations, I quickly meet up at a Starbucks off Watt Avenue to talk with Lyudmila Bernik, a Ukrainian native that now lives in Sacramento. We discussed a possible trip that I might be making to the Ukraine and Romania. Lyudmila has Romanian blood in her and I have always had a desire to visit Transylvania, the home of Vlad Tepes aka Dracula. We sat there and had a lengthy discussion about Dracula. I still have no idea where I am going on my vacation next year, but if the air flight is priced right, I might be headed for the Ukraine and Romania. Thanks for the tips Lyudmila. Now to my investigation at Lake Berryessa. I went and picked up a Wicca named Raven. Raven does not want to be fully identified in this article, but she is a unique individual. She looks superb in her all black outfit. She has a tattoo of a Raven on her arm and a skull/Wicca pentagram necklace draping her neck. Raven briefs me about Lake Berryessa. I know most of the story, but in case, you the reader doesn't know, here's what happened.

In September 27, 1969, college students Bryan Hartnell and Cecelia Shepherd had a picnic along the shore of Lake Berryessa. It was a relaxing afternoon. Cecelia noticed a man lingering in the shade of some trees nearby. Suddenly he appeared wearing an odd hooded costume that had a white crossed-circle stitched onto the front. The Zodiac held the frightened coeds at gunpoint as he explained that he intended to rob them and make his escape. Bryan and Cecilia were bound with clothesline. The victims hoped that the ordeal was about to end, when all of a sudden the Zodiac attacked them with a foot-long knife. When the vicious attack was over, the Zodiac walked away and left his victims in agony.

The Zodiac used a black marker to draw a large crossed-circle on the door of Bryan's car. Below his symbol, the killer listed the dates of the two shootings and added the notation, "Sept 27 69 6:30 by knife." At 7:40 pm, the Napa County Police Department received a call that had been placed from a telephone booth located a few blocks away. Officer David Slaight listened as the caller said in a low, monotone voice, "I want to report a murder - no, a double murder.

They are two miles north of park headquarters. They were in a white Volkswagen Karman Ghia." Slaight asked the man to provide his location, but the voice only faded away and the caller replied, "I'm the one who did it." When dusk arrived a local fisherman found the couple writhing in agony. Cecilia died, Bryan survived to give his account on the attack.

Raven took me to the area of the attack. The ghost of Cecilia is supposed to haunt this area and some witnesses have claimed their is residual haunting activity in which the murder plays out over and over again. As Raven and I waited for night to fall, I listened to Raven's involvement with the Wicca culture and how Wiccans respect all nature, plants and animals. They seek to live their lives in harmony with the Earth. Raven also explained to me how Wiccans have gotten a bad rap and many people misconstrue their activities as something evil. Raven embraces the night and she couldn't wait until the sun set. I made a call to Shannon. Shannon explains to me, that they are capturing some great digital photographs on their Placerville Haunted Tours. She relates to me that one of the investigators felt cold chills from the Pearson's Soda Works, near the mines. They caught many orbs in their photographs at Pearsons.

More orbs photographs were taken at Empire Antiques. The orbs seems to be near the investigators as if they were watching them. Shannon gave a nice briefing about each haunted locale and told them the legend of Stan the Ghost that haunts the Cary House. In one photo, Shannon explains to me that an orb is captured at the stairwell. Could this be Stan the Ghost? All in all, Shannon said the tour was a success and she was pleased at all of the orb activity during this investigation. Shannon tells me to check out the HPI meetup site, to see all of the orb photos from this investigation. The next thing Shannon asks me is how I was doing. I explain this later to Shannon as night falls.

As I get off the phone with Shannon, I think of the orb photos she is referring to. I know my house is not haunted and I have taken over a 1000 digital photos at my home and have never captured an orb picture. When I go on an investigation to a haunted location, most of the time I get an orb picture by my 4th or 5th shot. Why is that? Sometimes people explain the orb photos as dust orbs...well, my house is dusty, I have two dogs for criminy sakes. How come I can't get dust orb photos with my camera in my own dusty house? There has got to be some kind of explanation for orb photos, I just don't know the answer.

As night falls, it's extremely dark. At some point of time, I have a feeling of dread. I look for strange cars that may pull up to my car. Raven is not afraid of anything and embraces the night. She tells me that people say that they see orbs floating around this area at night, with their own eyes. As I look around I see a strange blurry light. I go to investigate and it's a rock. What I don't understand is why is this rock glowing from a distance? When I approach the rock, it stops glowing, as I walk away from the rock, it glows.

Raven notices the glow from the rock too. This is not an orb, but it is strange for this rock to glow this way and from a distance it looks like an orb.

No EVPs were detected at this location, I did have the feeling of dread that came about me that lasted for about 5 minutes and went away. No orb photos were taken. The glowing rock did not come out in my photo, but it could be seen with the naked eye. This investigation was inconclusive as I later related the information back to Shannon. The place is extremely creepy and every star in the night sky could be seen. If continued reports come in, in regard to a residual haunting, another investigation will be conducted.

As I drove Raven home, we talked about how she got her nickname Raven. Of course, she adores Ravens, she's a witch for crying out loud! She asked if I had any nicknames. I told her that I had many nicknames in the past, but recently noticed that some of my friends now call me 'Paranormal Paul', but that can't be any worse than when I was called 'Fresno County Paul' by employees of the Governor's Office of Emergency Services. Raven looks at me confused and asks...'why did they call you Fresno County Paul?' I told her that when I worked the Northridge Earthquake disaster, I met up with my ex-wife in Fresno. She came down from Sacramento, as I came up from Los Angeles, we met up half way. My colleagues at the time, teased me and said..."why don't you meet her at some place that is more fun, like Monterey..why Fresno?" They could not fathom the idea I would meet up with my ex at Fresno and before I knew it, I was being called 'Fresno County Paul'.

Raven looks at me and says...'you definitely have a crazy life!'

Anton Szandor LaVey's Round Room: Grass Valley (BLAST FROM THE PAST)
By Paul Dale Roberts, HPI Ghostwriter

It usually starts with a simple email. The first email from an anonymous source says.."Paul, I read your article about the Holbrooke Hotel in Grass Valley, but did you check out the infamous Round Room?" I reply instantly..."what is the Round Room?" Below is the message I got:

"Well, the "Round Room" is located in Grass Valley, CA. If you look it up online you can find some snippets on it and specific directions. I don't know if you deal at all with "dark forces", but this is what is rumored to be at that location. The story goes, that Dr. Anton LaVey, the guy that started the Satanic Church would take followers to that point to perform rituals, sacrifices, etc. It is also rumored to be a place that had a few unexplained murders at that point where only blood has been found, but the bodies never were. We went there in high school once and I felt some type of energy there. It made me uncomfortable, but it could have been my wondering mind at the time. Just thought it might be an interesting point to see if the legend is true. Also, apparently Anton has an abandoned house up there as well, that is rumored to be haunted with a bleeding tree on the property (a little far fetched, I think). I have never been there myself, but have heard stories about that place too."

After receiving this email, it was time for me to do a bit of research and find the location to this urban legend. I discover that the Round Room is located on Wolf Mountain Road. As you reach the top, there is an old abandoned water tower, immersed with graffiti! If you see the water tower, you found the spot! I gave Shannon 'Ms. Macabre' McCabe the details and she tells me to set up a small preliminary scouting party and proceed with this investigation. She relates the following: "Paul, get the scoop, on that day I am doing a follow-up on the residential murder sites of Richard Trenton Chase aka the Vampire of Sacramento. Let's keep cell contact, I really want to know what you find. Be safe and good luck! Rock & Roll!"

There is a lot of material written about the Founder of the Church of Satan, so I will make my briefing on Anton LaVey short. Anton Szandor LaVey was an avid reader, he enjoyed reading classic dark literature such as Bram Stroker's Dracula. Anton was considered as an 'outsider' and didn't like the gym, nor did he like sports. He was known to be a flashy dresser. Before he got involved in Satanism, he worked at circuses and carnivals. He was also a musician that played at seedy bars and taverns. He once had an affair with Marilyn Monroe, before she became a star. Anton started leaning towards the dark side of life, when he became absorbed in the writings of Aleister Crowley. As time went on, he was known as a psychic investigator/ghostbuster, while majoring in Criminology. He has a daughter named Karla Maritza and a son named Satan Xerxes Carnacki LaVey. Note: One of the investigators on my team Anne Atwell knows Karla and has met her at book events. He had a pet named Togare, a Nubian lion. Anton bought a Victorian home in San Francisco and painted it black, it became the Church of Satan. This Victorian home has now been demolished. In 1966 he declared this as year one - Anno Satanas - First Year of the Age of Satan. Anton carrying his Satanic Bible, became a media sensation, he was referred to by the press as The Black Pope. Celebrities become card carrying Satanists and befriended Anton, such as Jayne Mansfield, Sammy Davis Jr., Marilyn Manson and King Diamond. In fact it was rumored that Jayne Mansfield was cursed by Anton and shortly afterward Jayne Mansfield died in a car accident. Jayne was beheaded due to this car crash, what a horrible way to die.
Well, now you all know the short version of Anton LaVey's life, let's now talk about the scouting mission to the Round Room! The date is April 19, 2008, Saturday. At 0900 hours, I am waiting on HPI paranormal investigator Anah Denzeiberg. Anah jumps in the car and says, she is ready for today's adventure. At 10:30 hours, we arrive at the Holbrooke Hotel where we meet up with the rest of the

paranormal investigators: Randy McCuddy (Randy is active Air Force) & his wife Alexis McCuddy, Anne Atwell (former professional ballerina, that has been featured on The Baryshnikov Collection DVD: The Nutcracker - a DVD that she gives me as a present this day), Tanya Curtis (professional romance paranormal author of 7 books - her website: www.cassidymckay.com Scott Young, Michele Stump/Researcher/Historian. I have a talented team and Tanya is obtaining fodder for her next romance paranormal book! I briefed everyone in the lounge area of the Holbrooke Hotel. The Holbrooke, if you have read my previous articles is very haunted. I feel like I am at home at the Holbrooke, the staff greeted me warmly, well, I know them from before (smile). The staff is hospitable to all of their clients, not only me. I ran into Kelly Sheehan the hostess and with big smiles, she came up to me to say hello. When I first interviewed Kelly, she never had any paranormal experiences at this hotel. She has only worked here for a short time. She has now been initiated to the haunting activities of this hotel. She explains that while sitting at the bar one night, a shot glass moved away from her hand and slid down the bar. She has witnessed bathroom stalls opening and closing on their own. A picture hanging on the wall of an old lady, one night seemed to follow Kelly's movements throughout the room. She has witnessed objects falling off the shelves on their own accord. While we were there, Randy walks up to me and tells me that when he was trying to snap a picture, the camera battery became dead, then when he moved away from the room, the battery was alive and fully charged again. It is known in the paranormal world, that entities sometimes feed off the energy of batteries and will drain a battery instantly. In Room #1 of the Holbrooke, there was some activity. The occupants of this room came out and told staff that the fireplace lit up on it's own and cushions were tossed to the floor.

The preliminary investigative team surveyed the Holbrooke, snapping photographs, video taping and trying to obtain some EVPs. Finally it was time to leave, because we still had the Round Room to investigate. Most of us piled up in Anne Atwell's Crysler Towne & Country van, while Michele & Scott rode together in Scott's car to McCourtney & Auburn Road. Michele was showing us the location of the North Star Mine Lodge, she has been here before. This lodge was originally built for the miners and later became a Boy's Christian Club. It was rumored that the boys were at times neglected and abused by the staff of this lodge. It was also rumored that some of the boys died under mysterious circumstances and have been buried on the property. We had a difficult time finding the Lodge and had to hike down the road, since there were no places to park. Then we had to hike into the foothills looking for the exact location of the Lodge. We were unsuccessful. After the investigation Michele & Scott went back to the location and finally discovered the remnants of the Lodge and did their own investigation.

It was time to move on, we still had the Round Room to investigate. Using a GPS system we located Wolf Mountain Road and climbed a high steep to reach the abandoned water tower. The water tower that is known as the Round Room was a shocking sight to all of us. There was graffiti painted all over the hollowed out structure. The graffiti was definitely Satanic themed.

A large pentagram was drawn on the cement flooring of the structure with a burned out campfire in the middle. Scott, Randy & Alexis became the archaeological part of our team, as they sifted through debris, ashes, dirt & rocks to see what Satanic remnants they could unearth. While we were at this site, we all felt the negative energy of this place. Urban legend has it that many animals were sacrificed here and that possibly one person may have actually died here. Of course, these are only stories told by the locals and we cannot substantiate the stories, but as a writer, I will present you with the stories and our investigation. This site is still being utilized to this day, by believers of Satan. I found date evidence from burned magazines, that indicate people are still partying at this location up to our year of 2008. I found a large syringe, that may be used on large animals to sedate them. Michele and Tanya found a

ceramic wolf and the head of what looked like a gnome creature in the burnt remnants. We came in there like a CSI team, shifting through the evidence of a multitude of beer cans, paint aerosol cans, liquor bottles, burned clothing, unknown metallic devices and other oddities. Some of the investigators felt dread. They could feel the evil that resonates in the atmosphere that surrounds the Round Room. I looked for any signs of blood and only one area seemed questionable, as the color was a deep brown that seemed soaked into the cement floor. There is a lot of negativity at this location, it may be causing a residual effect for people that visit this spot. The investigation is inconclusive, as no substantial evidence was discovered. We did find some rose quartz strategically placed around the Round Room and remnants of candle burning. The quartz is known to draw energy. I can only wonder if the dark worshippers of this room, have opened a portal that has brought in dark forces into this area? I can only wonder. On this day, we did find something positive on this extensive investigation, we were able to watch some Emus on private property playing and chasing each other. It was a comical sight and it gave us all the feeling there is still some positive energy in this world.
As I close this article, I received this email from Anne, that went on this scouting mission:

"I really had a super time today. It was fascinating seeing Mr. LaVey's forging place for the Church of Satan. Talk about wild energy. That spot had it. Utter chaos and cruelty. Did you notice the brutal pack mentality of the "artwork"? Almost every bit was about subjugation and dominance in one form or another. There's a lot of pain in that place."

Then I received an email from one of our HPI investigators, that reads:
"How strange. A client of mine was telling me this week that he lived out in an area off the grid by Grass Valley where there were Satanists in the early 70s and they surgically eviscerated his dog! Same group??"

My answer to the last email. "Yes, same group." As I conclude this article, there will always be dark forces upon this world. There will always be good vs. evil. To embrace evil, is to inherit evil. The Round Room is a historical site, but it's a site that displays mankind's dark side. A side that we wish to ignore and pretend that it doesn't exist. But to know evil, is the power to combat evil. We were here to learn evil. For we are paranormal combatants and we seek the truth. However dark the truth, it will be exposed, so others can be beware and be vigilant. Godspeed to all.

Special Note: Back in 1978, I actually did an undercover investigation of various cults from the Peoples' Temple, Hara Krishna, Church of Scientology and the Church of Satan. I was doing this for my Sociology class. I pretended to want to join each cult and The Church of Satan rejected me and told me to read the Satanic Bible. The Church of Scientology asked me to leave their church. I wrote an article, about this investigation which was published in the Sacramento Bee. My teacher gave me an A+ for the report.

HPI Scouting Mission to the Queen Mary (BLAST FROM THE PAST)
By HPI Paranormal Investigators Ben & Rhonda Hall

A Message from Paul Dale Roberts, HPI General Manager:
When I learned that two of my investigators were headed for Long Beach, I told them I wanted a full report on the paranormal activity that has been legendary on the Queen Mary. I was honored to have two of my finest investigators Ben & Rhonda Hall out there investigating. They both have an eye for debunking and an eye of what can possibly considered as paranormal.

From reports that I have heard, located 50 feet below water level is the Queen Mary's engine room, which is said to be a hotbed of paranormal activity. This area was used in the movie Poseidon Adventure. The infamous Door 13 crushed two men to death. There has been many deaths on the Queen Mary and one apparition that is seen is a man dressed in blue coveralls, wearing a beard, he has been seen walking around Shaft Alley and then vanishes at Door 13.

In the first and second class swimming pools women apparitions have often been seen appearing in 1930s style swimming suits wandering the decks near the pool. Others have reported the sounds of splashing and have seen wet footprints leading from the deck to the changing rooms. Some guests have seen the spirit of a young girl clutching her teddy bear. Could all of this be residual haunting activity?

There is a ghost named Jackie that is seen and heard, they make claim that the girl drowned in the pool. Some people have heard her laughter.

In the Queen's Salon a beautiful young woman in an elegant white evening gown has often been seen dancing alone in the shadows.

Another ghost is a tall dark haired man appearing in a 1930s style suit. Aromas, smells, distinct knocks, footsteps heard are all part of the paranormal activity on the Queen Mary. Now let me find out what my investigators Ben and Rhonda found, take it away Ben & Rhonda:

Investigative Scouting Date: Saturday November 28, 2010

We stayed aboard the Queen Mary in Long Beach, California on Saturday, November 28, 2010. We were in Long Beach to visit family and decided to stay on the Queen Mary and do some investigating while we were there.

A little history... The Queen Mary was built in 1929 and was one of the most luxurious ships in the world. Many noteworthy people sailed on the Queen Mary, including celebrities, royalty and entrepreneurs. In 1940, the Queen Mary was painted gray and placed into military service until 1946. Called the "Gray Ghost" the Queen Mary transported soldiers to and from Europe. It's last military voyage brought many war brides back to the United States. After the war, it was brought back to its elegant condition and once again used for travel. It's last voyage was in 1967 when cruising became passé due to the convenience of air travel. The city of Long Beach bought the Queen Mary and it has been in the harbor there ever since.

After visiting family all day, we went to check into the Queen Mary. As soon as you walked into the lobby on board, you can feel the history all around you. Ben and I were anxious to check in, wait for the general public to leave, and get some investigating done. It was a cold, rainy evening so there were not many people out walking around. First off, just walking down the long hallways with the uneven flooring makes you feel a bit off kilter. Ben and I saw unexplainable shadows. At one point I was alone walking back to our cabin and about 10 feet in front of me there was a tiny light that sort of floated up and around crossing the hallway in front of me. I have seen this kind of thing in videos, but never with just my eyes. I can't explain that. When we took pictures in the ballroom there were many designer orbs in the shots. As we walked on the deck, at one point I heard a woman sing a few notes. This same woman's voice might be caught on one of Ben's EVPs. We both saw an unexplained shadow figure walking towards us from the other side of the deck. Once we started taking pictures the shadow figure

backed away. Most noteworthy, is the photograph that Ben took facing the city of Long Beach. We were standing on deck and he shot 2 pictures consecutively. One is just the cityscape of Long Beach. The next picture shot just a second later, there is a mist over the entire picture. If you look at the picture, there are several distinct faces in the mist. It is almost like a portal opened for a moment and many people wanted their chance to be seen.

I would love to get another opportunity to further explore the Queen Mary. It would be a great place to take our entire group and arrange to have full access to the ship. There were a few places where we could not go. The first class pool area is supposed to be very haunted. I remember going in there when I was a kid and feeling like I was being watched. Now it is inaccessible to the public. All in all though, it was a fun time and I am glad we stayed aboard the Queen Mary!

Rhonda and Ben Hall

HPI UPDATES, NEWS AND GOSSIP BELOW!

AN INVESTIGATION THAT WAS CANCELED AT THE LAST MINUTE:
We were going to an investigation on Dec 18, Saturday at 7pm. Home location at Chula Vista Drive, Citrus Heights, CA. Activity: Seeing small shadow people all around the house; wake up with a hand in the occupant's face; husband & wife have constant nightmares of demons chasing them. House is 50 years old. The husband at the last minute decided against the investigation. Cold feet.

SHOUT OUTS!
Karen Call! PS: That is her real name, Karen Call.

THANK YOU!
Thank you to True Connections for allowing me to write about your Chops Steakhouse Event! Here I am interviewing one of their hosts named Bubbles!

National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency and UFOs (BLAST FROM THE PAST)
By Paul Dale Roberts, HPI General Manager
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UFO Hunters: Image Interpreters within the National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency (NGA) have an array of satellite imagery to analyze. The name 'geospatial intelligence' (GEOINT) basically means the exploitation and analysis of imagery and geospatial data to dissect visual images of physical features and geographical activities on Earth.

If we are being visited by UFOs, the National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency will most likely be the first ones to know it.

NGA most likely see UFOs flying in and around Earth and even near our satellites. As seen in this video:
http://www.disclose.tv/action/viewvideo/1476/Alien_Space_Craft_flys_by_Satellite_/

NGA supports civilian and military leaders in their preparation for readiness of US Military forces. They also contribute towards humanitarian efforts such as tracking disasters like Hurricane Katrina and the 2010 earthquake in Haiti.

NGA is a member of the U.S. Intelligence Community and a Department of Defense (DoD) Combat Support Agency. Headquartered in Bethesda, Md., NGA operates major facilities in the St. Louis, Mo. and Washington, D.C. areas. The Agency also fields support teams worldwide.

Through the Freedom of Information Act, it is necessary for UFO Hunters worldwide to assemble and attempt to collect any information on UFOs that the NGA may have. If anyone knows that we are not alone, it would definitely be the NGA that knows.

The Moss Beach Distillery Investigation (BLAST FROM THE PAST)
By Paul Dale Roberts, HPI General Manager

June 23, 2012: The road trip begins! Deanna Bailey driving a 2012 Mazda CX7 SUV has in tow: me, Chantal Apodaca, Jon & Kara Koyasako and we are headed to Moss Beach, California to meet up with the rest of the HPI team and Soulseekers Carolann Castro, Jenny Castro and Trianna Garcia. Tonight we will be investigating the Moss Beach Distillery. This is the same Moss Beach Distillery that was featured on Unsolved Mysteries and SyFy Channel's Ghosthunters. Before we get started, let's take a roll call:

HPI Paranormal Investigators present are: Paul Dale Roberts, HPI General Manager; Jon Koyasako/Security / Lead Investigator; Kara Koyasako/Sensitive; Deanna Bailey / Lead Investigator, Rachel Rodriguez; Becky Cardenas/HPI Chronicles Cover Artist; Ivy Rubsam; Capone Bender/Sketch Artist; Carolann Castro – President of Soulseekers; Tuesday Rubsam; Trianna Garcia/Soulseekers; Jenny Castro/Soulseekers; Patrick Newton; Chantal Apodaca/HPI Assistant Manager/Psychic; Jon Rubsam/Psychic; Susan White; Tiara Bali; Sean Drake; Jess Gurganus; Aura O'Brien.

Before the investigation, we explored the outside perimeters where the Blue Lady is seen. We get a gorgeous view of the ocean. We witness a whale blowing water out of its snout. We see hawks, owls and a pelican flying over head. Looking below the cliffs we watch the seals sunbathing along the beach. There must have been over 75 seals sunbathing. Chantal starts waving at a seal and I kid you not, the seal looks at Chantal waving and waves back. I was flabbergasted! As we continued on the trail, we come across a huge banana slug. The location of the banana slug, placed him in jeopardy of being trampled, so I saved his life by picking up his sticky body and placed him safely in the bushes.

If you have never been to the Moss Beach Distillery, this is a must place to see! The atmosphere of the restaurant is wholesome and family friendly. The décor is to die for and if you are hungry, get ready to dine on some of the finest food prepared in this golden state of California. Some of my hungry investigators dined on: Linguine Di Mare that is mainly bay scallops, rock shrimp, manila clams, applewood smoked bacon mixed with tomatoes, fresh basil in a garlic white wine sauce. The char-grilled salmon is scrumptious! If you love your steak, you have to try out their char-grilled New York, pan-seared filet mignon. What? You would rather have baby back ribs or maybe chicken saltimbocca? Well, guess what..they have it here! All I can say is to feast!

Tonight, we are here to see if this place is haunted and guess what, as soon as we conducted our outside perimeters investigation, we captured an EVP by the wooded area next to the restaurant. The EVP says 'he did'. I know this is going to be a good night, because within one hour of being here, we already captured an EVP! Now I am sitting here with my other investigators waiting for the clients to leave, so we can get busy!

We started the investigation with our initial briefing, getting some history of the establishment, stories

of the activity that occurs here, etc. Tonight the two leads are Jon Koyasako and Carolann Castro. Jon's team is Team Speakeasy and Carolann's team is Team Blue Mist. We have two main areas to cover. 1st area is the lower level and the outside perimeters. 2nd area is the 2nd floor and balcony.

Jon Rubsam picks up on two entities, an older man and an older woman. The entities relate to Jon that they are excited that Kayoko is coming home soon. Melissa Vega, Sales & Marketing Manager and Bartender of this establishment is astonished, because Kayoko is the wife of the owner and she has been absent from this establishment for a while. The entities that Jon encountered have an attachment to the Moss Beach Distillery.

SPECIAL NOTE: SOME OF THIS INFORMATION WILL BE REPEATED, ONLY BECAUSE THE INFORMATION WAS BEING RELAYED AGAIN AND AGAIN TO SOME OF OUR PSYCHICS. THIS ARTICLE WAS WRITTEN IN REAL TIME.

FIRST INVESTIGATIVE EVIDENCE BRIEFING:
There are some distractions, with all of the raccoons and bats flying in the air, but we are getting some evidence. There are a lot of orb pictures, in one back room strong K2 hits on one particular chair and 2 witnesses saw an indentation on the chair, as if someone was sitting on the chair. Spirit box indicates that there was a musician that seems to be connected to the Blue Lady. This musician was a piano player. Intelligent communication was detected with the K2 meters. A 'yes' is a light on, a no is no light on. Names being picked up on is Cayte. Cayte is an entity that wears a yellow dress. Jon Rubsam picks up that the Blue Lady is named Sara - pronounced Sora, with the last name that starts with a Z, possibly European. Chantal sees Sara being shook, Jon sees her being shook and possibly stabbed and thrown off the large round hill that overlooks the restaurant and rises from the beach area. Spirit box indicates a murder took place and the word 'dropped' is repeated. Did Sara or Cayte get dropped from the hill? Jon feels Sara is in her 20s. Spirit box repeats 3 times...'help please'. Tonight we will seek out the identity of the Blue Lady.

To go over what we have on the Blue Lady via Jon Rubsam:
Blue Lady is named Sara, pronounced Sora. She is European, with a last name that starts with Z. Sara was involved with the piano player. Jon and Chantal see her being shaken. Jon sees that she was stabbed and taken to the hill and thrown off the hill, to cover up the stabbing.

THE WRAP UP:
Strange noise heard, investigators could not determine where the noise came from. Intelligent flashlight and K2 communication, indicating that the Blue Lady is Cayte, but the conflict comes when Jon indicates the Blue Lady is Sara Z, possible last name of Zintona. (Name Confidential)name comes on the spirit box and it could be the name of (Name Confidential). Jon sees that Sara is lonely. Chantal and Jon see her being shaken on the hill. Chantal sees that she had her neck broken when she fell from the hill. Jon sees that Sara worked here during the prohibition days. Her boss had a crush on her and Sara rejected his advances. The boss convinces Sara to go to the hill and stabs her and throws her off the hill. Sara is 24 and (Name Confidential) is 35 years old with a handlebar mustache. In the last session, no EVPs gathered, just more orb photos.

CONCLUSION:
With the one EVP, there is definitely a haunting on the property. A lot of strange things happened on this night. While Kara and Chantal were in the woods, they came across strange red and pink lights in the woods. The lights followed them. Both women saw the lights with their own eyes. Kara took

pictures of the lights and captured very unusual light anomalies in her photos. You will see those photos soon. The women were later told that the lights were red and pink sprites that have been often seen in the woods. Jon and Chantal while investigating on separate floors received visions of the Blue Lady. They saw her taken to the hill across the way from the restaurant, they saw her being shaken. Jon saw her being stabbed. Chantal did not see the stabbing. Both saw in their vision of her falling from the hill to the ground below, breaking her neck. Special Note: Since the visions indicate a murder, there could be some deceit taking place with the entities and the investigators. Perhaps to throw us off the track, an entity could have wanted us to identify the Blue Lady as Cayte or it could be the other way around and the entity wants us to believe the Blue Lady is Sara Z. Perhaps in the future more light will be placed on the Blue Lady identifying her once and for all. Maybe one day we will know why the Blue Lady is haunting the Moss Beach Distillery.

Special Kudos: Thank you to Moss Beach Distillery for supplying us with Coke and coffee. Thank you Deanna for driving us to and fro from Sacramento to Moss Beach and back, that is a lot of driving. With this long road trip, stops we made were the obvious: Panda Express, Starbucks, AM/PM and a few potty stops.

Comical Note: Susan White, an alien abductee victim, interviewed by Belinda Bentley for HPI and Jazma Online! appeared at the Moss Beach Investigation. She looks at me and tells me that I invited her to the investigation. She tells me her name is Susan. I have no idea who she is and I start thinking she is a Facebook stalker that has now invaded my investigation. I secretly pass the information to my investigators and have them keep an eye out on her. I am stand offish with her and I coldly reply to her questions with professionalism. I decided to go ahead and place her name in the article and ask for her name, she again tells me her name is Susan. I then ask her for her last name and she says her name is Susan White. My jaw is agape in shock. I know Susan White, her story was published by me and has received over thousands of hits. I am so embarrassed that I did not know who she is and I apologize profusely and properly introduce her to all of the investigators. Major guffaw.

Supernatural Adventure to Costa Rica, Nicaragua, Panama & San Lucas Island (BLAST FROM THE PAST)

By Paul Dale Roberts, HPI General Manager/International Adventurer

"I've seen some things that I can't explain and I can't explain some things I've done…in search of the truth." Josh Gates - Destination Truth

The first song I heard as I reached my hotel was ALL SHE WANTS TO DO IS DANCE BY DON HENLEY. This is a song that gets me in the mood for my vacation. Hear the song here:
https://www.dailymotion.com/video/x1ub8i_don-henley-all-she-wants-to-do-is-d_music

SINCERE THANKS! To Eugenia of Unique Travel, that found this incredible working vacation for me. See their website here:
http://www.uniquetravel.net//home/index_en.htm?path=&pkg=utbiv_g9&lan=en&ucs=na&ser=na

SPECIAL THANKS! Goes out to Felipe (Guide) for driving me to the borders. Olger Corrales Zuniga, Airport Sales Executive (Guide) for setting the path towards the unknown for me. Olger did a lot of scouting for me and I officially give him the title of HPI Paranormal Costa Rica Ambassador/Scout/Guide. Olger will remain HPI's connection to Costa Rica for any HPI investigator that wants to fully investigate the paranormal activities of Costa Rica. Olger received his official HPI

Paranormal Demon Warrior t-shirt. Glad to have you on board Olger!

The start of my Central America adventure has begun. The date is April 2, 2012 Monday. Gina de la Rosa is taking care of my car and she is driving me to the Sacramento International Airport. I am taking the red-eye to Houston, then from Houston headed for San Jose, Costa Rica. At Sacramento I met up with Carol A. Palacio, Private Investigator www.caseassist.com. She is headed for Fort Myers, Florida. To pass time, we exchange stories. I tell her about my investigations into the paranormal and she tells me about her adventures in private investigating. It´s a small world, I also run into Rukesh Kumar´s cousin who works at the airport. Rukesh is my former neighbor. Finally my United Airlines flight is here. When I arrive in Houston, I meet Selma Zollman of Better Homes & Gardens Real Estate, she left Brazil and is now heading back to her home in San Francisco. Selma has the greenest eyes I have ever seen. The song ´Green Eyed Lady by Sugarloaf´started playing in my head when I was talking with her. To occupy my time, I told her my paranormal war stories. When Selma caught her stand by flight, I next met Monica Jones. Monica is on her way to Costa Rica, she will be visiting Montezuma, her goal is to become an English teacher. I admire Carol, Selma and Monica, because they are not afraid to travel alone. I don´t know how many times you hear about American women who are scared to travel internationally by themselves. Nothing stops these ladies from traveling all over the world. Monica has been to South Africa. What Monica loved about South Africa is going into the bush, the historical aspect of South Africa, volunteering to help the orphans and how beautiful South Africa is. Monica tells me that she has also visited Israel & Jamaica. I admire the independence of these women. These are truly brave, adventurous women, I applaud them.

I finally arrive to the hotel, it is definitely a high 5 star. I order dinner: chicken breast wrapped with bacon & mushroom, sauce, mashed potatoes & vegetables. Absolutely delicious! This hotel is so big, it´s one big maze, you can get lost easily. At the hotel I meet the gorgeous Krystal Curtis. During our conversation, she tells me that when she stayed in Long Beach, WA at her parent´s beach house, she felt something touching her legs, she felt a man watching her constantly and one night she was so terrified, she could not get out of bed. Tonight (Monday night) is Krystal´s last night and she is heading home. Her main task in Costa Rica was rafting. One of the things I enjoy about international traveling is all of the cool people you run into. I love hearing the life stories of these travelers. Another great thing about Costa Rica is that the local people are soooo friendly! In Costa Rica it is customary for a stranger to use the cell phone of any Costa Rican citizen. Costa Ricans are here to assist any stranger in their country. Costa Ricans are a loving people and always have a smile and a greeting for all people. Before I came here, I heard stories on how dangerous Costa Rica is. Hmph! What danger, the streets are completely safe. Costa Rica has a super police force and there are hardly any serious crimes here. It is more dangerous to be on the streets of America, than here in Costa Rica. If I ever retire, this is the place I would love to retire at. The only thing, I need to get used to is the humidity.

Historical Note: I am staying at the Hotel Ramada Plaza Herradura, Room 6320. My hotel has a casino, gym, massage facilities, Jacuzzis, swimming pools, restaurants, bars - can't ask for anything better than that! So far I only transferred $40.00 US dollars to Costa Rican Colones and I gave my Bell Hop 2 mil colones tip. I hope that is not too much...still figuring out the money exchange (Monday).

The Sanatorio Carlos Duran - The Mindless Derelict Ghost
In all of my travels, I have never been to such a small country that has so much supernatural happenings that surround it's exotic landscape. The Sanatorio Carlos Duran was built in 1915. This hospital accommodated tuberculosis and leprosy victims. The hospital later became an insane asylum. There were many people that were tortured at this institution. Talking with a local tourist, they make

claim that this prison harbors a ghost known as The Mindless Derelict Ghost. This ghost has a shaggy brown trench coat on, his face is full of raggedy hair. The ghost has been seen holding a liquor bottle and seemingly walking into the wall. The ghost will then step back and look at the wall, as if he had accidently bumped into the wall. Then this odd ghost will dissipate and completely vanish. MY INVESTIGATION: While at this location, I got an EVP of a woman saying in Spanish two times: "Keep off the grass, keep off the grass!" This is another place, in which I felt depressed. I felt like my energy was completely drained from my body. As I was walking through this building, I felt light headed and at one point of time I thought I was going to faint. This is definitely not a happy place.

San Lucas Island - San Lucas Dark Fey

Ghost Hunters International visited this infamous and highly notorious prison. The worse prison in all of Central and South America, harboring the worst offenders. There were murders, tortures and rapes. A former nurse that worked there was gang raped by the prisoners and later slaughtered. She haunts a cell that has a drawing made in her own blood, so legend has it. Also, talking with one of the locales, they claim that a dark fey hangs out at this prison. The entity seen is completely black with a long cloak and hoodie. The entity has golden flaming eyes. If the entity stares at you, it can shoot out a golden flame from its eyes, causing temporary paralysis to the victim. MY INVESTIGATION: I took the ferry over to San Lucas Island and as soon as I walked into the prison, I felt the sadness, the depression and the gloom. I felt an extreme feeling of dread. I asked some of the people that were with me, if they felt the depression and many of them said 'yes'. I attempted to get some EVPS, but with all of the pounding rain and everyone talking, I was unsuccessful. I strayed away from the group and to my surprise, I felt something hit me in my right temple! After the hit, I felt a ringing in my ears. What the? It felt like a solid punch. I am surprised I did not get TKO'd. This is the first time, I ever got hit by a ghost.

Giant Stone Balls

There are dozens of these stone balls. Some are the size of tennis balls, some are 8 feet in diameter. Some of these stones weigh up to 16 tons. They have exceptional spherical precision. Who made them and for what reason? I believe that these balls have a connection to ancient aliens of our past. MY INVESTIGATION: I didn't have far to go to find these giant stone balls. Before the stone balls were declared a historical site, many of the balls were taken to other locations, like museums and even used as decorations at hotels. Well, 6 of those balls are right here at my hotel. There is definitely spherical perfection to these balls. One local tells me that he has one of these balls at his home and it's the size of a marble. He tells me that strange UFOs have been seen near and around the precise circled balls.

The Seven Ahorcados in San Jose

Also translated as the 7 Hanging Victims. 7 family members are murdered and hung by their necks in a private home. The 7 Hanging Victims ghosts haunt the area of the murders. MY INVESTIGATION: I interviewed Sandro Fernandez of Gray Line Tours and he tells me that he has heard of the story of the Seven Ahorcados. Local legend has it that when anyone actually sees The Seven Ahorcados, they become cursed and possibly they could die for witnessing the Seven Ahorcados or a family member will get deathly ill or they could die. Sandro also tells me about the Guayabo de Turrialba. When adventuring out through the jungles and mountains of Costa Rica and encountering monkeys, frogs and sloths in the jungle brush and trees, you might encounter this historical archaeological site in Turrialba, Costa Rica. This site covers roughly 540 acres and is located in the forested region of the Turrialba Volcano. This site was occupied from 1000 BC to 1400 AD. The Spanish Conquistadors do not explain why this site was all of a sudden abandoned. It was a site of a great civilization that had aqueducts, stone paved streets, ponds, etc. Why would about 10,000 people leave this site? Sandro tells me that when you visit this area, you can hear the sounds of whispering, the sounds of crying and at times you

will feel like you are being touched. From what Sandro says, this is a place with some strong residual activity. A must-see place for ghost hunters!

The El Cadejos Black Dog

A young boy is cursed by his father. The father was a powerful dark magician. The young boy is cursed because he drank and partied too much. The young boy transforms into a large black dog that wanders the streets forever. MY INVESTIGATION: I talked with Monica Bolonos and Yoliana Chavarria Soto and they give me a tip that sends me another direction from a local that talked to me about The El Cadejos Black Dog. Sure Monica and Yoliana have heard about the Black Dog, but feel it is necessary for me to investigate La Monastero Restaurant and Cave, where the ambience is as great as my hotel. Okay...Monica and Yoliana, what is going on at the La Monastero Restaurant? Ahhh..they tell me that it was once a real monastery and it has now been converted into a restaurant and from the cave at this restaurant a popular ghost comes out to play. This ghost has a name, his name is Claudio. Claudio is playful and mischievous at times, but it appears that the people that frequent this restaurant are quite used to him as he may tug on your sleeve, or slightly brush the hair of a beautiful woman using his ghostly hands. One woman makes claim that Claudio grabbed her waist gently, almost as if he was trying to dance with her. Another person I interviewed was Karoll Alpizar. During my interview with Karoll, there was extreme torrential rain. When there is thunder and lightning in Costa Rica, it is severe, it sounds like a shotgun blast next to your ear. During this thunderstorm, Karoll tells me that there is a story about a woman in a gray robe that many people see and she haunts a local hospital. Karoll is familiar with the El Cadejos Black Dog, she has heard many locals talking about this creature and saying that they have seen this menacing black dog. Karoll had her own paranormal experience, she encountered a demonic succubus called a 'spiritucle Betzabe' (Spelling may not be correct). This entity tried to possess Karoll. When this entity possesses a woman, it will go out to seek men to be intimate with. Karoll consulted her pastor to get rid of the entity and the pastor told her she must be cautious and not be open to this entity.

The La Segua Siren

A woman that has her heart broken by a Spanish officer, becomes an ghostly siren that makes men gravitate towards her and when she looks upon their faces, they turn into hideous beasts, some of the town folk say that they actually turn into werewolves. MY INVESTIGATION: As I interviewed various locals, some who do not want their name published say that the men actually turn into dogs, not werewolves. One local says that he knew of a man that encountered the La Segua Siren and he turned into a dog with flaming red eyes and to this day roams the mountainside.

La Llorona

OMG! This legend is in every Latin based country. The woman who takes her two children into the waters and drowns her children and herself. When people swim in these waters, they are grabbed by the La Llorona ghost woman, who tries to bring the victim under the water to drown them. The Hotel Ramada shuttle driver that drove me from the airport to the hotel went on-and-on with this legend. I told him that legend is in every Latin country. He laughed. MY INVESTIGATION: ZERO, NONE, NADA, NOTHING. This legend is everywhere and I feel it would be a waste of my time to see if this legend also happened here in Costa Rica.

La Machaca Bug

This deadly bug will bite a woman and the woman victim must have sex with any man she can find within 24 hours or she will die. MY INVESTIGATION: Unfortunately I have not encountered any lovely Costa Rican women that have been bitten by this pesky insect.

The Ghostly Ox Cart
This ghostly ox cart is seen on deserted roads, it has a connection with the cholera epidemic outbreak that killed many Costa Rican soldiers. One Costa Rican claims that if you see the Ghostly Ox Cart, you will be cursed and die or a family member close to you will die unexpectantly. MY INVESTIGATION: No one seems to know about this legend. Hmmmm?

El Castillo de la Concepcion - Nicaragua / Wed, April 4, 2012
When crossing the border of Nicaragua, I will be visiting El Castillo de la Concepcion. Been here, done that. This trip has worn me down. Yes, I need a vacation from this vacation. I love Costa Rica, but ready to go home!

Paso Canoas - Panama / Tuesday, April 3, 2012
When crossing the border of Panama, I will be visiting Paso Canoas. ACCOMPLISHED: My Facebook friend Felipe drove me into Paso Canoas. Nice quaint town. We traveled to Panama on Monday. Felipe is a nice guy and I paid him $200.00 cash to drive me across 2 borders, but riding with Felipe is a strain for me, since he is constantly rolling down the windows because of his gastric irregularities. Sigh.

Pictures:
https://s970.photobucket.com/albums/ae185/PaulDaleRoberts55/CostaRica/

Special Note: You are probably wondering who is taking care of my 2 dogs - Pika the Jack Russell Terrier and Hi-Pee the Corky. Shannon 'Ms. Macabre' McCabe will come over here and there and walk them. Heidi Hayes (my roommate) will give them special treats, they have a 30 lb feeder, so they have plenty of food and they have an automatic waterer. Chantal Apodaca is going to go over one time, to play with the dogs. Pika is like a cat, he is very independent and does not make a big thing about me taking off. Hi-Pee on the other hand will see the suitcase and start getting depressed. He will cower down and roll on his back. When I walk out the door, he will perch himself on a side table looking out the front window and waiting for me to come back home. Heidi tells me he loses his appetite when I am gone and will mope around the house. It breaks my heart to see Hi-Pee acting that way.

Special Note: The breakfast at my hotel is excellent. I am staying here 3 nights, so I will be getting 3 free breakfasts! That is something I will not miss out on. You can call me any name in the book, but don't call me late for breakfast. The omelet pita breakfast on United Airlines (flying into San Jose) was also very good! Souvenirs from Costa Rica are 4 Costa Rica t-shirts. 1 goes to Shannon 'Ms. Macabre' McCabe and one other goes to Gina de la Rosa, the other 2, I may just keep. Tried out a Costa Rica McDonalds (McDonald's Real Cariari - Plz Real Cariari Autogista General Canas Caja 82, Cajero 438 Fabiola Vargas Panjag UA - spent 3100.00 colones.

Special Note: With a vacation like this, you need a vacation from your vacation. Thank you to Maria Fernanda for the full body Swedish relaxation massage! Thank you to Oney that turned me onto Maria Fernanda! What a great massage, I felt so relaxed and Maria almost put me into hibernation. Wow!

WHAT I LEARNED, WHO I MET:
I learned a lot while being here in Costa Rica. I learned that at one time coffee was the main export, but nowadays Costa Rica boasts 4000 products that they export. I tried out their various coffees and they are exceptional. I even tried out their strawberries, they have a different taste from the strawberries grown in California. While here, I visited one of their main volcanoes, I got a glimpse of a beautiful

lagoon that is hidden away in the mountainside and covered by fog. I met a number of fantastic tourists while here in Costa Rica. I met Luis de Manuel from Madrid, Spain. I met Leslie Carrero and her sister Glorialys Carrero from Venezuela. Learning that I was a paranormal investigator, they told me two ghost stories from Venezuela. They told me about how a truck driver saw a woman crying on the side of the road, he asked her why she was crying. She told him that she was missing her baby. The truck driver gave her a ride and when he reached her destination, she vanished. They tell me in Venezuela, that in the El Llano region, there is a ghost called The Whistler. When you hear his whistle from far away, he is near. If you hear his whistle near, he is far away.

While I was meeting more tourists, I came across a local, her name was Guisselle Alarcon Alvarez, she tells me that she works in the coffee factory from 630 to 5pm, placing labels on coffee and on chocolates that are served with the various coffees. The people of Costa Rica work hard, but they are strong in spirit. That is why so many tourists come to this country, to admire the beauty of this country and admire the people that keep this country strong. Another tourist that loves Costa Rica and is here for her spiritual growth is Andrea Ivanova from Czechoslovakia. She has now lived in Costa Rica for 3 months. Her real job is a massage therapist, but as I learn from Andrea, she is here for spiritual enlightment and Costa Rica is the right place for that enlightment.

Next tourist I met is Corrina Kraiz from Ohio. She has two ghost stories to share with me. I am always listening. Her first story is about Baldwin Wallace College. There is one dorm that was used as a Civil War Psychiatric Hospital. She had some friends that stayed there and they were scared out of their minds when the lights started flickering, doors would shut on their own. The paranormal activity was the heaviest during the early morning hours. Her second story is about the Underground Railroad near Lake Erie. In the tunnels, they have one tunnel that would go from the church to the house. Her friend had a Halloween party and the drafts from the tunnel were strong that night. During the party, her friend´s dog went crazy, started barking erratically and no one was able to determine what the dog was barking at. The dog then started growling and biting people. This went on for days after the Halloween party and her friend and her friend´s father who is a pastor decided to put the dog down, because he had completely lost his mind. Corrina feels that the underground railroad tunnels may have been a cause of the dog losing his mind. This dog was in tune to the paranormal and because of this he lost his life.

Special Note: Spent $20.00 in colones at the Hotel Ramada Souvenir Shop. Spent $4.00 colones as a tip to the tour guide for the Tropical – Coffee Tour. Spent $2.00 in colones for the shuttle ride from the hotel to the airport. Readers, don't pay attention to this, just trying to keep up with my expenses. You don't want to look at my VISA bill...ugh!

While I was sitting at the Costa Rica Airport, I met up with Suemi Miyagui from Lima, Peru. She is Japanese, but was born and raised in Peru. She was a very interesting lady. She tells me in Peru there is a store called Matusita, where they sell household supplies. This place is very haunted and one day a Peruvian journalist spent the whole night there. The journalist has never been the same after his night at the Matusita and he refuses to talk about it. Then right after she was catching her plane, I met up with Sal Ezriel Chanel Dana of thetahealing.org Dana tells me that she is very much into Theta Healing. This is where she can hold someone’s hand and tap into their brainwaves, their unconscious mind and pick up on their energy. This energy tells her everything she needs to know about this person on the Theta level. It will even tell her if they have medical conditions going on with their body. Dana is from Israel and spent 2 months in Costa Rica. Before I end my story about Costa Rica, I must tell you how I came upon a Lemur. The little guy was very cute and you can see him in my pictures. This Lemur loved

having his back scratched and every time I would stop scratching his back, he would try to bite me and scratch me with his claws, but if I continued to scratch his back, he was okay. Costa Rica left me with some beautiful memories.

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Discovery Channel's A Haunting:
Working with the Discovery Channel's A Haunting, as they want to do a documentary on a HPI case.

SHOUT OUT!
Bebe Mendoza!